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BIRTHS.

DUNN—October 25, 1922, at 89 Lower Baggot st., to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dunn, Kilnamanagh House, Clondalkin, a son (Liam Desmond).

HALL—October 30, 1922, at Narrow Water, Warrenpoint, to Captain and Mrs. R. Hall, a daughter.

JEFFERS—October 31, 1922, at 89 Lower Baggot st., the wife of Albert Jeffers, of a daughter.

O'DONNELL—September 24, 1922, at Strand st., Fraire, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Donnell, National Bank, Glenties, a son.

OULTON—October 27, 1922, at Cologne, to Mary, wife of Captain W. P. Oulton, M.C., the Gloucestershire Regiment, a daughter.

WIDDIS—October 24, 1922, at 42 Albert rd., Glenageary, to Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Widdis, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ARCHER and YOUNG—October 24, 1922, at Merrion Hall, Dublin, Charles E. V. Archer, son of Thomas Archer, Airfield, Donnybrook, to Ellen Young, eldest daughter of J. Young, S.C. rd., Dublin.

JONES and WILSON—September 6, 1922, at Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, Clarence Jones, fifth son of the late Richard Jones, Ontario, to Lucy Maud, second daughter of the late Robert William Wilson, Esq., late of G.P.O., Secretary's Office, Dublin.

McLAUGHLIN and DOBBIN—November 1, 1922, at St. Patrick's Church, Jordanstown, by the Rev. R. N. Rutter, M.A., William McLaughlin, Rathmore, Greenisland, Co. Antrim, to Nellie Muriel, eldest daughter of Major W. Wood Dobbin, M.B.E., Clonmel.

WILLIAMS and BYRNE—October 18, 1922, at Caroch Church, by the Rev. L. M. Hewson, Rector, Christopher Henry, youngest son of the late R. C. Williams, Cloughjordan, and Mrs. R. C. Williams, St. Giles, Newbury, Berkshire, to Caroline Maria Victoria Byrne, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Byrne, Downings, Prosperous, Co. Kildare.

SILVER WEDDING.

GELLETLIE and HUNTER—November 2, 1897, at Wicklow Church, by the Rev. Canon Rooke, D.D., Thomas J. Gelletlie, Wicklow, to Tannie Georgina, eldest daughter of the late Robert Hunter, Newrath Bridge Hotel, Co. Wicklow.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 6.

BERNARD—November 1, 1922, at Elm Lawn, Dundrum, Sarah, daughter of the late Isaac Bernard, M.D. Funeral, 10 o'clock, to-morrow (Friday) at Old Church, Dundrum.

CALVERT—November 1, 1922, at her residence, Elm Park House, Ranelagh, Dublin, Annie, beloved wife of Thomas A. Calvert. Funeral private.

CROSBIE—October 31, 1922, at 6 Carlisle ter., Malahide, Leslie Wren, fourth son of the late Major Crosbie, of Ballybrigue Castle, Co. Kerry. Funeral, St. Andrew's Church, Malahide, 3 o'clock. English papers please copy.

GILLIGAN—October 27, 1922, at Antrim Castle, the result of fire accident, Ethel Margaret, elder daughter of Thomas and Ethel Gilligan, of Dunboyne, Castlepollard, aged 19 years. "With Christ, which is far better." Funeral from her father's residence to-day (Thursday), at 3 p.m., for interment at Castlepollard.

GRAY—October 31, 1922, at her residence, 1 Seaview Gardens, Dundalk, Sarah, the beloved wife of George Gray. Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord." Funeral, at 1 o'clock, to-day (Thursday) to St. Patrick's Cemetery. No flowers.

JENKINS—November 1, 1922, at Baggot st. Hospital, Robert George, eldest son of the late James Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins, 8 Upper Baggot st. "Thy will be done." Funeral private. No flowers.

LEARED—October 30, 1922, at Glenville, Wexford, Sara Mary, widow of R. H. Leared. Funeral private.

MacGRATH—November 1, 1922, at her residence, 55 Belgrave square, Rathmines, Helena, relict of the late Patrick Robert MacGrath, to the inexpressible grief of her sorrowing family. R.I.P.

O'CONNOR—October 31, 1922, at 2 Lower Hatch st., Dublin, Annie, widow of the late Doctor George A. O'Connor Beimullet, Co. Mayo. Requiem Mass, 6.45, this (Thursday) morning, University Chapel, St. Stephen's Green. Funeral strictly private.

IN MEMORIAM.

McEVOY—Fifth Anniversary—In loving memory of Mrs. Ellen McEvoy, who died on All Souls' Day, 1917, at her residence, 313 North Circular rd., Dublin. R.I.P.

ROE—November 1, 1921—First Anniversary—In fond and loving memory of Eleanor Geraldine, the loving wife of Joseph Alfred Roe, J.P., Johnville, Rathangan, King's County, eldest daughter of Harry Cornelius, Roscalcon, Queen's County, and sister of Countess MountCashell. "Safe in the arms of Jesus." Inserted by her loving husband.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Anthony Loftus Cliffe, Deceased, who died on the 30th day of October, 1921, are required, on or before the 25th day of November, 1922, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, Dame Frances Emma Talbot Power, widow of Bellevue, in the County of Wexford, Widow, and now of 12A, Sussex Court, Buckingham Gate, London, S.W., and Bernard J. O'Flaherty, of Kinsbercliff, in the said County, Solicitor, to whom Probate of the Will of the said Deceased was granted forth of the Waterford District Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland on the 15th day of June, 1922.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 25th day of November, 1922, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased according to the rights of the parties thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as required above.

Dated this 28th day of October, 1922.
P. J. O'FLAHERTY and SON, Solicitors for the Executors, 1 Rowe street, Wexford.

IN THE GOODS OF JAMES BYRNE, 1 Thirlestaine terrace, off Thema. street, Dublin, Labourer, Deceased.

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IN THE GOODS OF MARY ELIZABETH LANE, late of Rathkenny House, Slane, County Meath (Wife of Colonel Samuel Willington Lane), Deceased.

Take notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, we shall apply to the proper Officer of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), for Probate of the Will of the above-named, who died on the 16th day of March, 1922, unless a Caveat has been duly entered thereto, within the aforesaid eight days.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1922.
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To all persons concerned.

IN THE GOODS OF JOSEPH GOUCHER, late of Killamoate, Rathdangan, in the County of Wicklow, Bachelor, Retired Farmer, Deceased.

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M'S, North-Romford, Ferrane, Kilcock, obtained 5,043 eggs in 6 months from 50 hens on Kerswood Poultry Farm; Special pedigree Cockerels for 1923, from Leverett and Frye, Sandymount Green, Dublin. 31 F

MARCH, 1922, Pullets, 14 Cross Breds, also birds just laying, 7/6 each; 6 Wyandottes, best English strain, 10/- each.—Abernethy, Bush, Dungarvan.

PHEASANTS for Sale, first-class; matured hens, £2 each; 2 yearling cocks, £2 each.—Mrs. Fry, Rectory, Newtownbarry. 31 F

POULTRY House, 10 x 4, 5 x 5, sectional, new condition, £8.—C 688, this office. 28 D

POULTRY House—Lots from 20s. Parry and Co., Ltd., Camden row, Dublin. 8 X

THE Abandon Egg Producers Oyster Shell, 1/6; 5/-.—Crawford and Son, Talbot street, Dublin. T

THE Hens of Mrs. Griffiths, Drumbanaghar, gave average profit 2/6 per hen, through use of Owells Spice; make yours do the same; 7/6, 1/5, 2/6.—Owells Stud Store, Enniscorthy. T

WANTED, 50 strong second Pullets; state price.—Forest Lodge, Milltown. 31 F

WHITE Runners, four pure bred 1922 Ducks (Taylor's), 30/-.—Mrs. Rountree, Curraintown, Mornington, Co. Meath. 31 F

WHITE Leghorn Pullets, bred from "Daily Mail's" Cock, 12/6 and 10/6 each.—Mrs. Herriott, Clay Cottage, Greystones. 31 F

WANTED, pure bred Brown Buttercup Cock, two Cockerels, same breed, for Sale.—Denye, Pollacton, Carlow. 31 F

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2/9 Each—7 lovely fresh looking 1921 Hens, cross breds. Address "Z 1020, Poultry," this office. 31 F

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AT Highest Value—James Hill and Son, Bachelor's Walk, Purchase Furniture, Pianos, Linens. 29 D

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PIANO, 'Cello, couple Violins, Viola, Clarionet, Metronome, Seats Wanted.—C 555, this office. 29 D

PIANOFORTE, made by good firm, British or German, Wanted.—C 539, this office. 29 D

PIANO, sufficiently good for beginners, Wanted; approximate cost to cash.—C 557, this office. 29 D

PIANO, Upright Grand, Pigott, to be Sold at Auction, 24 Clarinda Park, East, Dun Laoghaire, 7th November.—Talbot Coall and Son, Auctioneers.

REALLY first class Piano Wanted; give particulars, prices, etc.—C 561, this office. 29 D

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ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, 1 Aston's quay; highest prices Ladies', Gents', Children's Left off Clothes, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels received. T

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ABOUT Clothes—Highest prices for Ladies', Gents', Children's Left Off Clothing, Furniture; distance no objection.—Mrs. White, 15 Aungier street. T

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RESPECTABLE young Woman seeks Daily or Weekly Work; recommended.—C 787, this office. 1 E

USEFUL Ladies' Maid, just disengaged, Protestant; good needlewoman, packer, and traveller; highest recommendations.—C 621, this office. 30 E

USEFUL Maids, Invalid Attendants, sewingmaids, R.C., Protestant.—Blackwood's, 41 Lr. Mount st.

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COOK or Cook General, over 5 years' paper; highly recommended.—716, Irish Times Branch Office, Bagnet street Bridge. T

COOK, Career 1905, English, reliable, sound worker, experienced all round. Wants post; free shortly; state particulars, wages, etc.—Box B 158, Irish Times Branch Office, 59 Fleet street, London, E.C.4.

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GOOD Cook General, small family; suburbs, city; excellent references.—C 782, this office. 1 E

SUPERIOR young Cook General and House Parlourmaid; first class situations together; good references; Dublin suburbs; or go to the country.—720, Irish Times Branch Office, Bagnet street Bridge. T

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YOUNG R.C. Cook General wishes situation; experienced and highly recommended.—M. Brady, Newtownmountkennedy. 31 D

YOUNG R.C. plain Cook General, dairy, fowl, disengaged.—Co. Dublin pre'erred.—Finegan, Ballykilty, Malahide. 31 D

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A SETTLED Person wants place as General.—R O 996, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 1 A

A NUMBER good Generals, Cook Generals, Cook House Pmaids, etc.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville st.

GOOD General seeks employment, city or suburbs; good references; moderate wages; meet lady by appointment.—C 866, this office. 1 E

GENERAL seeks situation; young; Protestant; wages £20.—C 860, this office. 1 A

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Warning to Young Irish People.
SEE THE Students' Page OF THE Weekly Irish Times To-day,

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RAILWAY Lost Property—500 Umbrellas from 1/6, Clubs from 5/6, Overcoats from 5/-, Attache Cases, 5/-, Woollen Blankets from 2/6.—W. Cullen, Agent, over Sackville Picture House; also 9a Grafton street. 20 T

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WANTED, complete Furnishing Offices, Safes, Counters, Rollop, Desks, etc.—C 862, this office. 29 D

WANTED to Buy Books, Magazines, Furniture, Novels, etc.—Woods, 77 Aungier st. 30 A

WANTED, Sunbeam Gas Fire, perfect order.—C 763, this office. 31 D

WANTED, Singer's Hand Sewing Machine, perfect working order; state price, where seen. Address "Z 1062, Machine," this office.

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CLEARANCE Sale—St. Brigid Anemones, 4/- 100; Violets, 2/- dozen; Lily of Valley, 5/- 100; Daffodils and Narcissi, 5/- 100; Double Violas, 2/- 100.—Knockmullen Gardens, Gorey, Ireland. 31 F

FRUIT Trees, Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries, Peaches, healthy fruiting Trees; leading varieties; catalogue free.—Ramsay, Ballsbridge. 26 X

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YESTERDAY'S COURT CASES.

IMPORTANT INSURANCE APPEAL.

MOTOR CAR "TAKEN" IN WEXFORD.

In the High Court of Appeal, King's Inns, yesterday, before the Lord Chancellor (Sir John Ross), the Master of the Rolls, and Lord Chief Justice Henry, an important insurance appeal came on for hearing, which was brought by the defendants in the case of Beggan v. the Motor Union Insurance Co., Ltd.; from an order of the Court of Appeal for Southern Ireland, dated 17th July last, refusing the defendants a new trial motion, with costs. The action, which was tried in November last by Lord Chief Justice Molony without a jury, was brought by the plaintiff to recover £300 in respect of the loss of a motor car under a policy of insurance which covered theft.

The substantial defence was that the policy did not cover "loss or damage arising during or in consequence of *(inter alia)* war, riot, and civil commotion, military or usurped power." The defendants alleged that the loss of the motor car in this case came within the exceptions "riot and civil commotion."

The evidence of the plaintiff, a Co. Wexford motor car owner, given before Chief Justice Molony at the trial, was that on Sunday, 7th November, he went out driving a car himself when he received a message that another car was wanted to Duncormick. He told Meyler, the chauffeur. The car left about 6.47 p.m. Meyler came back at 11.45 p.m., and informed him that the car had been taken from him Up to that his cars were in constant use, and had never been interfered with, and there had been no trouble since. There was no disturbance at the time in Wexford. There were no restrictions as to the use of cars. The car cost him £395 in June, 1920, and he had put accessories into it amounting in value to £11.

The chauffeur, Patrick Meyler, in his evidence, stated that on the evening of the 7th November, 1920, he was told to take a passenger to Duncormick, and started between 6.45 and 7 o'clock, p.m. When they got to Kateross, Gorey, round the bend of the road, when he was travelling at a good speed, three or four men appeared across the road, each of them armed with a revolver. They used some words which he could not catch. One of them came over and asked him where he was going to. He told the man that he was bringing a passenger to Duncormick. The man told him to get out of the car. The men then brought them up the road about twenty or thirty yards. The man told him he was taking the car from him. Witness was then blindfolded and brought across the land to an out-house. He was told to sit down, and was kept there 3½ or 4 hours. The men took his permit. He was blindfolded again, and the men brought him to a different road and let him go. Two men stayed with him the entire time. There was no disturbance or civil commotion at the time. In March, 1921, there was. In January, 1921, Wexford was proclaimed. He was driving 25 miles an hour when he was stopped. It was stated by the police witnesses at the trial that there was no serious disturbance in the Co. Wexford in November, 1920.

It was argued before the Lord Chief Justice that four men constituted a riot; that the loss occurred during the riot; that it was occasioned by the riot, and that the onus of showing that the loss was not occasioned by riot lay on the insured, and that he had not discharged that onus.

The Lord Chief Justice, in his report of the trial, stated that it was with some hesitation he came to the conclusion that the case was one of theft, and that the mere fact of the theft having been committed by four armed men acting in concert did not make it a riot within the meaning of the policy. The majority of the Court of Appeal (Lord Justice O'Connor dissenting) held that what occurred was not a riot, and that it was simply theft with violence.

Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C.; Mr. Battersby K.C., and Mr. James Henry (instructed by Messrs. O'Neill and Collins), appeared for the appellants (defendants); Mr. Swayne, K.C., and Mr. Davitt (instructed by Messrs. Huggard and Brennan) appeared for the respondent (plaintiff).

The arguments have not concluded.

MEATH FARMS.

ADMINISTRATION SUIT.

In the Chancery Division, before the Master of the Rolls, in the case of Farrelly v. Farrelly, Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Messrs. William Smyth and Son) applied on behalf of Dermott Farrelly, one of the next-of-kin of Anne Farrelly, deceased, late of Tirachorks, Kells, Co. Meath, for an order for the administration of her estate. The deceased died in July, 1922, apparently intestate, and the plaintiff, who is a nephew, obtained a grant of administration. Mr. Geoghegan mentioned that a suggestion had been made that there was a will and a citation had been served that day.

Mr. J. Bartley (instructed by Messrs. Boyle and Hearty) appeared for the defendant, Peter Farrelly, another nephew of the deceased, and stated that he was willing to have the estate administered, and suggested that £700, the proceeds of the sale of the farms, should be lodged in court.

Mr. T. J. Smyth (instructed by Mr. Justin McKenna) stated that he appeared for a legatee under the alleged will, and objected to the decree being made at present.

The Master of the Rolls stated that a decree would have to be made in any event, and in case it turned out that there was a valid will it would inure for the benefit of the persons who might be interested in the estate. He made a decree for the administration of the estate, putting a stay on the making of inquiries and taking of accounts, and gave leave to the auctioneer to lodge the money referred to in court.

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST MOTOR CAR COMPANY.

In the King's Bench yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of Coyle and Co. (Brokers), Ltd., of 7 Angiesea street, Dublin, insurance brokers, against the Thompson Motor Car Co., Ltd., 19 and 20 Brunswick street, Dublin.

Mr. Phelps (instructed by Messrs. Montgomery and Chayter) for the plaintiffs applied for an order of final judgment against the defendants for £528 17s. 6d. Counsel said that the money claimed was the amount of premiums which the plaintiffs had paid for the defendants. The plaintiffs insured the defendant company against a number of risks, and preserved them against a number of claims.

Mr. Edward Fitzgerald (instructed by Messrs. Orpen and Sweeny) appeared on behalf of the Royal Bank of Ireland, who, he said, were petitioning creditors in liquidation proceedings against the defendant company in a petition to wind up.

The Judge—Are the defendant company in liquidation?

Mr. Phelps—They are not, but a petition has been filed, upon which no order has yet been made.

Mr. Justice Dodd granted the application, and, on the application of Mr. Fitzgerald—Mr. Phelps not objecting—put a stay on the order pending liquidation proceedings.

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MOTOR CAR PATENT.

INJUNCTION AGAINST INFRINGEMENT.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Powell, in the case of Alexander Nicholson, of Mary street, Dublin, against the Carden Engineering Co., Ltd., whose office is at Piccadilly, London,

Mr. Molony (instructed by Mr. Edward Hayes) applied for the plaintiff for an injunction to restrain the defendants from manufacturing and selling motor cars which are an infringement of the plaintiff's invention, and which he had had patented in January, 1914. The defendants filed a defence some time ago, in which they stated that the plaintiff's invention had been anticipated, but as they gave no particulars that defence was struck out by the Master of the Rolls. The defendants also alleged that they had not infringed the plaintiff's patent; also that the letters patent were invalid, and that defence was also struck out.

There was no appearance now for the defendant company.

Mr. Nicholson, the plaintiff, in his evidence, stated that he was an inventor, and that he had won an action in England relating to tyres infringement. He had een a number of the Carden cars made by the defendants, and they were an exact facsimile of his invention. His patent was for a light car constructed on the tubular principle. A large part of his specification had been adopted by the defendants in the manufacture of their cars, a large number of which had been sold in Ireland. He saw a number of them for sale in Dublin, and they were extensively advertised, the agents for Ireland being Messrs. R. McMaster and Company, Cuba street, Belfast.

Mr. Molony said that this was the first case of the kind in Ireland relating to motors.

Mr. Justice Powell made an order for injunction, as asked for, and directed an inquiry as to damages.

ACTION AGAINST INSURANCE CO.

In the King's Bench Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, in the case of Samuel Cumming Dawson, of Cloghran, Co. Dublin, against the Scottish Accident, Life, and General Insurance Co., Ltd.,

Mr. Maraan (instructed by Messrs. Cusack and Kieran) applied on behalf of the plaintiff for an order for discovery of documents. The action was brought to recover £135, alleged to be due by the company on foot of an insurance policy against illness. The plaintiff's case was that if a certain period elapsed before he was attacked by appendicitis that disease should be included in the policy. The company's case was that when the plaintiff got them to include appendicitis in the policy he was in fact threatened with the disease, and that he withheld the fact from them. The case would in a large degree depend upon the correspondence.

Mr. Justice Dodd made the order.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Thursday, November 2, 1922.

HIGH COURT OF APPEAL FOR IRELAND.—Arbeals for Hearing—Bogrun v. Motor Union Insurance Co., at hearing; Walsh v. A. and B. Taxis; Mary Keane, a bankrupt (appeal of the assignee of Bank ruptcy); same (appeal of Mrs. Mary Keane); estate of Wm. H. H. Moser (owner), A. M. Leeson (petr.); Lounhan v. O'Sullivan.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN SOUTHERN IRELAND.—Chancery Division. Lord Chief Justice of Ireland. To-morrow, before the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland. To be spoken to on a minute—Action—O'Connor v. O'Connor. This day—O. Hanlon, Ltd., v. Dublin Corporation. Before the Registrar at 11.30—Statement, Meredith and Son, dec., Keany and Bolton, dec., Baker, Ringwood, and Gordon. Before the Assistant Registrar at 11.30—Summons, Walsh and Co. Before the Examiner at 11—Teeling account, O'Keefe and Co. Ltd.

ROLLS COURT.—The Master of the Rolls in the High Court of Appeal for Ireland. Wednesday, 8th Nov.:—Actions—Buttimer v. M'Elvern—M'Gittern, v. Buttimer; O'Rourke v. Nagle. This day:—Rolls Chambers at 11—W. H. Halliday, dec'd., Molony and Molony v. Mooney, decd., Weldon v. Mooney; Long and Co. (Dublin). Before the Assistant Chief Clerk at 11.30—Osborne v. Limerick Market Trustees.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL'S COURT.—In Court. Motion—Henchang and Orr v. Chowler, part heard. Actions—Wednesday, 8th Nov.—Bourke and Kelly and another. Thursday, 9th—O'Brien v. Quinn (motion). Friday, 10th—Mosley v. Mosley and two summonses. This day, before the Chief Clerk—Means v. Collis; Hogan v. Hall; Chase v. M'Cormack; Means v. Means; Mainey v. Mainey. Before Dr. Webb at 11—Sheridan v. Wilson, wards account.

TAXING OFFICE.—At 24 Upper Merrion street. Master Kilbride at 11—Munster and Leinster Bank v. Goodbody, T. J. Lunn; Wilson, decd., Carlton's (O'Meara. Master Deaning at 11—Ryan v. Murphy; Montgomery and Co. v. Rentmanna at 12—Solicitors' parte Taxations. Ferte v. Hunt, H. L. Keane; National Bank v. Dunn, R. H. Bernchaun and Orr; Sweetman, decd., v. Pagan's, a person of unsound mind, Baker, Ringwood, and Gordon.

LAND JUDGES.—At 23 Upper Merrion street. Receiver Office. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11. Application for Directions—James J. Gleeson and another. At 11.30, Receiver's Accounts—National Bank v. Conway, Whitney, Moore, and Keller; National Bank v. Flanagan, Whitney, Moore, and Keller; National Bank v. Fleming, Whitney, Moore, and Keller; National Bank v. Wright and Wright. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—At King's Inns, Rotunda street. In King's Bench 1 at 11. Crown Side—Exparte Motions. Civil Side—Exparte Motions. Undefended—Dawson and Sons v. Egan. On Notice—Pim Bros. v. Reddy; Costes v. Burke; Brennan v. Great Northern Railway Co.; Elliott v. Wise; Dunne v. Gower; M'Dermott v. Lloyd and Co.; Reddy v. Sayers; Dunne v. Porter.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Pierott, ac. comp., P. M. Sealle; arrangt., do., H. F. Childer.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Dick, K.C., at 11 o'clock—Wm. G. F. Johnston, E.C. 7506—reb., Lord Dunleath, E.C. 7792—discharge rulings. At 3.30 o'clock—R. C. Hume Gore, Jeffrey White, at 11 o'clock—H. A. Gertz, E.C. 7686—discharge rulings. At 3.30 o'clock—R. C. Hume Gore, E.C. 5935, Fall's rent—discharge rulings. Exparte, Mr. Stubbs, at 11.30 o'clock—Wm. A. Grason, E.C. 4350—discharge rulings. At 3.30 o'clock—D. J. P. Broughan, C.D.B. 10,198—discharge rulings and settle schedule. Before Mr. Wilson, at 11 o'clock—R. H. Woods, E.C. 6385, and Geo. Scriven, E.C. 6847—Wilson's Hospital titles—vouch. At 3 o'clock—J. B. Ormsby, C.D.B. 10,305—discharge rulings. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Wm. Potterton, E.C. 8186—discharge rulings. Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Guilbraith's estate, Houston's rent. At 12 o'clock—Birch's estate. At 2.30 o'clock—G. H. Hurst and anor.—discharge rulings.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.—At 11 o'clock—Gerald Keon v. John O'Mara, with a jury. Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906—Ellen Fitzmorris apptnt. Morgan Mooney reapdt.; Frances Barrett, G.S. Finlay, decd., Wm. Bissett, Geo. Wilson; Mary Byrne, Michael Flanagan; Thomas Dunne, Secretary of State for War; Ellen Fagan, Rev. Mother M. Bodkin; Thomas Finnegan, Patrick Donnelly; Mary Foley, Hardie and Co.; Robert Godfrey, Cyrus Stewart; Sarah Keaton, Port and Docks Board; Robert Kelly, John Finn; Laurence Mulhall, for Joseph Lowery (witness); Joseph Lalor, Thomas Henshaw and Sons, Ltd.; Jas. McMahon, Redmonds, Ltd.; Jas. O'Brien, & and J. Burns, Ltd.; Alice O'Connor, Fulwell Steamship Co., Ltd.; Jas. Gray, O'Connor, Thomas Connolly, Ltd.; Elizabeth O'Neill, Williams and Woods, Ltd.; Richard Sleator, G.S. and W. Railway Co.; Patrick Tindler, James Duff; Turnabull, Scott and Co., Herbert Byrne; James Walsh, Andrew Valentia.

NEW IRISH BARRISTERS.

The following students of law were called to the Bar yesterday at the King's Inns by Lord Chief Justice Molony:—

Brian Maginess, B.A., Sen.Mod., LL.B., Dublin University, son of Mr. Wm. Maginess, of Avonmore Lodge, Lisburn, Co. Down.

R. B. Barry, youngest son of R. H. Barry, K.C., County Court Judge, late of Langar, Glenageary, Co. Dublin, deceased.

At the final examination Mr. Barry was awarded the Society's prize of £21, and was excused attendance at three terms of lectures and two terms commons, otherwise necessary for his call to the Bar, and takes rank accordingly.

T. G. A. Burke, only son of W. Burke, late of Hollyville Park, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, deceased.

H. Hare, second son of W. Hare, 61 North Strand, Dublin.

D. J. O'Sullivan, only son of J. O'Sullivan, 33 Wyatt road, Forest Gate, Essex.

C. A. Maguire, M.A., LL.B., University College, Dublin, second son of C. J. O'L. Maguire, Claremorris, Co. Mayo.

Captain J. J. Kavanagh, Connaught Rangers, eldest son of P. J. Kavanagh, of Ardfallen House, Cork.

James Joseph Walsh, son of Mr. Thomas F. Walsh, of Lewiston House, Duneamon, Co. Wexford.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

Work Provided and Strike Threatened: Dublin Workhouse Returns.
Blackrock Electricity Scheme: Telegraphic Isolation.
Inniskillings for India: Belfast Tram Extension.
£2 for a Carriage: Houses at 8/- a Week.

It was announced in yesterday's *Irish Times* that Midleton's (Co. Cork) housing scheme had been put into operation, and that "the work affords much-needed employment in the village." Already, however, there is talk of a strike. The Allied Trades' Society of Midleton demands that the clerk of the works shall be paid £5 5s. a week. The Urban District Council has fixed £4, and the society has decided to call a strike if its demand is not granted.

DUBLIN.

MISSIONARY WORK IN NIGERIA.—Missionary causes in Africa were advocated at the Blackrock College by the Right Rev. Dr. Shanahan, Vicar Apostolic of Southern Nigeria, last night. Many magic-lantern slides showing incidents of the work were shown. Dr. Shanahan said that the Society of the Holy Ghost had been established to supply ministers for apostolic enterprise abroad. He appealed to the audience to provide men for the missionary cause in Africa.

FEWER WORKHOUSE INMATES.—It was reported to the Dublin Guardians yesterday that there were 3,385 persons in the workhouse during the week ended October 28, compared with 3,606 in the corresponding week of last year. For the seven months ended on the 28th, the cost of outdoor relief had been £67,435, compared with £62,835 for the corresponding seven months in 1921. Relief was granted to 4,710 cases, as against 4,262.

BLACKROCK CHURCH OUTRAGE.—Rev. Harry B. Dobbs, Vicar of All Saints' Church, Blackrock, has written to the Blackrock Urban Council expressing his thanks for passing a "resolution of sympathy with us in the injury done to our church. We live on very friendly terms with our neighbours of all religious communions, and the vigorous way in which they have reacted this outrage will make the good feeling which exists between us friendlier and kindlier still."

BLACKROCK ELECTRIC LIGHTING.—The Ministry of Commerce and Industry has informed the Blackrock Urban Council that approval has been given to the Blackrock Electric Lighting Extension Order, 1922, as amended, and intimating that after copies of the amended scheme have been deposited with the Ministry, steps would be taken to obtain Parliamentary approval.

DALKEY HOUSING TENDERS.—At Dalkey Urban Council meeting last night a letter was read from the Secretary to the Ministry of Local Government, stating that it could not approve of the action of the Council in ruling out certain tenders from members of the Master Builders' Association in connection with the proposed housing scheme and accepting a tender not the lowest. The matter was further considered in Committee.

Y.M.C.A.—The monthly meeting for central members, secretaries and workers of the Y.C.A., will be held to-day, at 53 Upper Mount street, Dublin. There will be a prayer union meeting at 3, and Bible study at 3.30 p.m. The meetings will be conducted by Mrs. Watson.

AWARDS FOR BRAVERY.—Presentations by the Lord Mayor of awards for bravery from the Royal Humane Society will be made at next Monday's meeting of the Dublin Corporation to the undermentioned:—Enda Chandillon, Hollybank road, Drumcondra: testimonial for having saved Peggy Brady from drowning in the Tolka on May 8, 1922; William Doyle, 67 Eugene street: testimonial for having saved George Cosgrave and John Doherty, aged 10 and 11 years, respectively, from drowning in the canal at Harold's Cross Bridge on May 22, 1922.

LEINSTER.

FIRE IN A CHURCH.—Greenane, Co. Wicklow, Roman Catholic Church Sacristy and contents were damaged by fire during Monday night. The church was not damaged. It was not known that a fire occurred until the damage was seen on Tuesday morning. The cause was accidental.

TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.—Wicklow Committee of Agriculture has allotted sums as follow for technical instruction:—Agriculture, £500; horticulture and bee-keeping, £287 10s.; poultry and butter-making, £25; poultry stations, £30; cottage garden scheme, £100; live stock, £581; sheep-breeding, £60; shows, £25; bacon curing, £50; administration expenses, £370.

MUNSTER.

AGRICULTURAL SCHEMES STARVED.—County Waterford's agricultural schemes for 1922-23 were adopted by the Committee, which passed a resolution asking for a more generous grant from the County Council, and pointing out that the County Joint Technical Committee received £1,620 of the £2,160 collected by a 9d. rate, while the Agricultural Committee received only £540. Owing to a shortage of funds, the schemes now in operation have had to be curtailed for 1922-23.

14 MILES TO SEND A TELEGRAM.—Carrick-on-Suir is completely isolated so far as telegraphs and telephones are concerned. The damage to the wires is so extensive that many weeks must elapse before repairs can be completed. In order to telegraph, Carrick-on-Suir people have to go to Clonmel, fourteen miles away.

WAITING FOR BETTER DAYS.—Carrick-on-Suir Guardians invited tenders for a horse-drawn carriage, formerly used in connection with the local workhouse, now closed. The highest offer was £2, and the Guardians decided not to sell.

ULSTER.

RENT MATHEMATICS.—Councillor Lawther, at Belfast Corporation meeting yesterday, criticised adversely the statement that houses were being provided in the Woodvale district at 8s. a week. Councillor M'Connell explained that the Woodvale houses were to be sold and not let. On a basis of £407 a house, and allowing for the Parliamentary grant of £5 per cent., the rent would be reduced to £270 a house. On an applicant paying 10 per cent. of the money, the Corporation would spread the balance over a period of 35 years, and taking these payments roughly as representing £14 a year—and even assuming that taxes, etc., would bring the sum up to £20 a year—it would be less than 8s. a week.

BILLIARD HALL FOR EX-SERVICE MEN.—Mrs. Waring of Waringstown House, County Armagh, has presented a billiard hall and billiard table to the local branch of the Comrades of the Great War. The formal opening of the hall took place on Monday night, when Mrs. Waring was presented with an illuminated address and a cue, as a mark of appreciation. Lieutenant-Colonel Sir W. J. Allen, D.S.O., presided. The branch has now two tables.

BELFAST ELECTRICITY STATION.—The Belfast Corporation yesterday approved of a further extension of the new city electrical station at Belfast Harbour. The extension provides for a new 12,500 kilowatts turbo alternator costing £96,500, and a building to house it. The total cost of the plant, building, and equipment will be £119,330. This will bring the total cost of the new station up to £991,000. The work at the new station is proceeding rapidly, but it is not expected that the plant will be in working order until next August.

FOREIGN DRAFT OF INNISKILLINGS.—Scenes of great enthusiasm, accompanied by expressions of regret, were witnessed at Omagh on Tuesday, when a draft of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers left the depôt for India. The draft was escorted to the station by the pipers' band of the 36th Platoon Special Constabulary and a local piper belonging to the British Legion of ex-Service men. A large crowd of the townspeople assembled at the station to bid the soldiers farewell, and while the band played a number of lively airs on the platform the crowd raised enthusiastic cheers for the Inniskillings.

DANGEROUS SOUVENIRS.—Robert Doak, Halliday street, Belfast, was summoned for having in his possession a sporting rifle, two air guns, an 18-pounder shell, and five other shell cases. A police witness said that the articles, which were found in the defendant's house, were not concealed in any way. The witness believed that the articles were souvenirs. The defendant was fined 40s., and an order made for confiscation.

DILATORY NATIONALISTS.—Mr. Toner, Clerk of the Crown and Peace, made a strong protest against the treatment he was receiving from the Nationalist Party when, after sitting for fifteen minutes at Omagh Revision Court on Monday, only the Unionist agent, Mr. James Amberson, had appeared. Subsequently two Nationalist representatives arrived at the office, and he proceeded with the revision of the objections for the Dunmullan districts.

GUARDIANS AND OFFICIALS.—Enniskillen Guardians have given the charge nurse in their fever hospital one month in which to resign, because, when she had no patients in the fever hospital, she refused to do temporary duty in the workhouse hospital at night, as she said that this duty was not part of the conditions of her employment. The Chairman declared, at the meeting yesterday, that the Guardians will be masters in their own house.

ULSTER HALL NOT FOR BOXING.—Belfast Corporation has refused to grant the Ulster Hall for a boxing tournament in aid of ex-Service men, on the ground that a concert hall is not a suitable place for such contests. St. George's Hall, in the Markets, was offered as an alternative, but this was not regarded as adequate for the purpose.

BELFAST KETCH SINKS.—The ketch, Passing Cloud, of Belfast, 25 tons register, on a voyage from Portavogie to Stranraer with a cargo of barley, sprang a leak and sank five miles west of Portpatrick wireless station on Tuesday afternoon. The two men on board took to the small boat. Portpatrick lifeboat proceeded to the scene of the accident and rescued the crew.

BELFAST TRAMWAY EXTENSION.—Belfast Corporation yesterday approved of an extension of the tramway system from the Newtownards road to the Queen's road. The cost of the extension will be £49,000.

REWARD FOR GALLANTRY.—The vellum testimonial of the Royal Humane Society has been awarded to Mr. W. Mande, 986 Shankill road, Belfast, for rescuing a boy who fell into the sea at Seaclife road, Bangor, Co. Down. Mr. Maude is a member of the Belfast Amateur Swimming Club.

Snow fell on the Antrim hills yesterday morning.

Inward shipping to Dublin port was delayed yesterday by bad weather in the Irish Sea.

The official Unionist candidate for Londonderry City and County will be selected at a meeting to be held at Coleraine this afternoon.

Fire completely destroyed a general shop and contents, the property of William Linton, Castlewellan, Co. Down, on Tuesday night.

At Lifford Quarter Sessions on Tuesday £2,300 was awarded to the relatives of the late Head-Constable Ballantine, who was murdered in Raphoe.

Miltown and Fiddown Post Offices, near Carrick-on-Suir, were raided by armed men, who found no money, however.

James Walsh, a general storekeeper, of Templeoran, Co. Kilkenny, was taken from his house by armed men and threatened, but was afterwards released. The outrage is political.

Thefts from boats on the Grand Canal in King's County are of daily occurrence. Yesterday drapery, cycle accessories, bacon, soap, and whiskey were looted at various places.

At Portadown on Tuesday eight magistrates committed James Killow for trial on a charge of assaulting his mother, aged 95. Mrs. Killow died on Tuesday night.

Claims have been made by the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway on the Rathdown No. 1 Rural Council for £1,000 for the partial destruction of the two railway bridges at Shankill Station.

Claims for £535 for cattle-driving have been lodged with Ballymahon, Co. Longford, District Council, and for £50 for robbery. A member of the Council said that they had no control over robbers. The claims are to be defended.

When returning from Wicklow Fair, where he had sold some cattle, Mr. O'Riordan, of Ballyguile, was stopped outside his house by two men armed with revolvers, and robbed of cheques and £12 in cash.

Belfast shipbuilders have served notice that they will enforce the withdrawal of the last 10s. of the cost of living bonus, in accordance with the decision of cross-Channel firms. The four half-crown "cuts" will, however, be a fortnight later in each case than in Great Britain.

BROKEN LAMPS.

DARK STREETS IN RATHMINES.

In connection with the minutes of the Lighting Committee, attention was called at the meeting of the Rathmines Urban Council yesterday, to the fact that some parts of the district were at times left in darkness at night, and it was explained by the Chairman that lamps had been broken by boys, who seemed to take a delight in throwing stones at them. The attention of the Gas Company had been called to the matter, and they were doing what they could to have it rectified. No part of the township should be in darkness.

It was mentioned that the large hall of the Town Hall building had been improved and decorated.

The Chairman said that it was now one of the finest halls in Dublin, and they hoped that it would be availed of for concerts and meetings.

Miss Ffrench Mullen inquired if one charge was made for concerts and dances. She thought that some difference should be made, as in the case of a ball it was all money received, whereas the promoters of concerts had to pay artists.

There should be a lower rate of charge for a concert than for a ball.

The Clerk stated that in the scale of charges the various objects for which the hall was taken were considered, and they did not adopt a flat rate for everything. For charitable purposes there was a reduction of 20 per cent.

A £10,000 LOAN.

Mrs. Kettle moved that application be made to the Provisional Government for sanction to a loan of £10,000 for the purpose of laying a pipe line to afford an adequate supply of water to the Milltown district.

The resolution was adopted.

BARRACK ROOM SUICIDE.

YOUNG SOLDIER SUFFERING FROM DEPRESSION.

A verdict of suicide while temporarily insane was returned at an inquest at the George V. Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, on Corporal Bernard Bishop, aged 21, 2nd Border Regiment, who was brought to the hospital dead on the previous day.

Evidence of identification of his son's remains was given by James Bishop, 18 Lodge lane, Port Sunlight, Cheshire. There was no inquest on deceased, as he knew of why his son should commit such a rash act.

Lance-Corporal Gerald Kirke stated that at about 2.30 on the previous morning he went to deceased's bed, alone, and found him lying on a box, bleeding from the head, with a service rifle, having a string attached to the trigger, beside him. He knew Bishop well. He got a letter on Saturday morning, and seemed depressed.

To the Police Inspector—The shot could be discharged by pulling the string downwards.

The Coroner said that he had read the letter that had been referred to. It was from Corporal Bishop's mother, who was in ill-health, and she was complaining bitterly that her son had not written to her for some time. He must have been a lad of very weak mind to allow a letter to drive him to such a rash act.

The doctor's evidence was that there was a gunshot wound in the head. Death was due to hemorrhage, laceration of longer and nerve centres, and shock. The wound could be caused by a bullet.

THE LAST CUP OF TEA.

Driver Thomas Downing stated that he was in company with Bishop from 8 p.m. to midnight on the 30th. They went to a dance in the North Dublin Union Barracks. Bishop appeared to be very depressed, and while having a cup of tea said, "This is the last cup of tea that I will have." The witness went to Bishop's room at 3 a.m. on Tuesday, fearing that he might do himself harm, and took away a razor. There was no other dangerous weapon in the room, and he was then asleep.

Private Mayne stated that Corporal Bishop came to him at about 7.15 on Tuesday morning and asked for his rifle, saying that he wanted it for rifle inspection.

To the Coroner—He noticed nothing wrong with him.

Sergeant Hunt stated that Corporal Bishop was easily depressed. He was in charge of their sports accounts, and his books were not balanced. He was trying to make them right. Bishop was a good soldier.

The Coroner said that his idea was that this lad had a very unbalanced mind, and that trouble weighed heavily on him. The monetary business which the sergeant spoke of, did not seem to amount to much. Bishop's mind appeared to have become unbalanced. He suggested a verdict in accordance with the doctor's evidence, and that at the time when the deed was committed Bishop was suffering from temporary insanity.

The jury found accordingly.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS.

May, 1922. 76 CERTIFICATES were awarded to our Students in Stages I. and II.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville st., Dublin.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

AN IRISH LEAGUE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Many Irishmen are becoming dissatisfied with the present condition of our country, and some are inclined to put the blame on our present Government. I think that the fault is not that of the Government, but it is the fault of the general public, who are not supporting that Government as they should. It is not enough to vote for them at the elections, but we must give them practical support every day.

A friend of mine attacked me lately for writing in support of our Government, saying that I had always been independent, but that now I had changed and become a party man. I plead guilty. I was against the English Government. I was against the Irish Parliamentary Party, because it looked on England for everything it wanted. I was in favour of Sinn Fein—namely, trusting in ourselves. Now that we are independent of England, and must either trust in ourselves or go under, I am accused of changing because I support our own Sinn Fein Government. The accusation pleases me, as it is a proof that I am logical.

Mr. Stephen Gwynn writes in *The Observer*, referring to the new Constitution:—"Mr. Gavan Duffy, for the intellect of the nation, gave it a qualified blessing. . . . The other two national intellectuals, Mr. Darrell Figgis and Professor Magennis chimed in." These "intellectuals" have been trying to run down our present Government on small matters, instead of supporting them on the one thing necessary—that of putting down anarchy. I have no doubt that their constituents will remember this at the next election.

Stephen Gwynn's "intellectuals" may have their time, when anarchy has been put down, although I doubt that the Irish people will ever believe in these men; but at present they are only a public danger when they are nagging at our Government, who are proving themselves to be men fit for their difficult position. This Government, however, can do nothing unless supported wholeheartedly by the Irish people. I repeat, therefore, what I proposed some time ago—that it is high time that a league should be started, in which all might join who wish to put down anarchy and promote the welfare of Ireland. I called it a Free State League, but, perhaps, a better name might be an Irish League. It would practically be the old Sinn Fein, started some twenty years ago by Arthur Griffith, but a change of name might be more satisfactory to the old West Britons and supporters of the old Parliamentary Party. Self-preservation is the first law of nature for the individual; so it is for the nation. Ireland must unite to back up her own Government, or she will go down, the derision of the world.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN SWEETMAN.

Dublin, November 1st, 1922.

CAPITAL AND LABOUR.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is about time that the Labour Party should see in its true light the real position which exists, and must exist, between Labour and Capital if labourers are to reap the full benefit of the work they do. It goes without saying that almost the whole of the population of a country are workers, as one must work to live, and the more one works the better he can live. It is, therefore, a delusion and a snare to the unfortunate working man to hold out before him the self-evident falsehood that by working little he can be paid much. The labourer is worthy of his hire and no more. If he is paid double his proper wages in face value of money received, it is automatically reduced to half its purchasing value, as it only represents one day's work and not two. The war cry of the Labour Party is, of course, that Capital is the cause, which is self-evidently untrue. The employer must make both ends meet as well as the labourer, and the exorbitant price which he is obliged to ask for the products of labour reduces the purchasing of goods to a dangerously low limit.

No nation can be prosperous whose people are only working practically a few hours a day, and are still foolish enough to think that they are getting credit for twelve. Did they ever realise that, if all the money in the country were distributed among them, it would not be of any gain to them unless the worker produced the food and clothing, as Almighty God intended us to do?—Yours, etc.,

"A FOURTEEN HOURS WORKER."

Dublin, November 1st, 1922.

RELIGIOUS ORDERS AND NURSING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—We were very glad to note the letter from Mr. Gleeson, published in your columns on the 24th ult., concerning nursing by religious Orders in Ireland, as the subject is one on which we think the general public requires enlightenment. We were, of course, aware that various religious Orders do insist on full nursing training, both medical and surgical, being given to their members who desire to nurse the sick, and are very glad to find that those appointed at St. Columcille's Hospital belong to such an Order. But our point in making the protest was that the advertisement did not specify any conditions of nursing training whatever, and did restrict the position to persons belonging to a religious Order. There was nothing to show that the Order would be required to be one giving full nurses' training, and we know that many religious sisters are, in fact, employed in such posts throughout the country who are not properly trained, with the approval of the Local Government Board, who were satisfied in the old days if these nuns could be designated as "qualified" nurses—a designation given to nurses who had not procured a three years' certificate from a recognised training school, but only had some infirmary training.

These partially trained nuns (and lay nurses also) are succeeding now in getting on the State register of nurses which is being compiled under the Nurses' Registration Act, by means of a clause by which any nurse employed for three years before 1919 with the approval of the Local Government Board is permitted to register. As "registered nurses" they are, therefore, still gaining posts in the new county hospitals and homes, which surely, as reformed institutions, ought to be staffed only according to the most modern ideas of efficiency. The Local Government Department has, I think, done its best to see that the new institutions are efficiently staffed, but it appears to meet with local opposition in some cases. We fear that sentiment and jobbery are not yet dethroned from their power in influencing the filling of appointments under local public bodies through the country.

We note that Mr. Gleeson says that the sisters are prepared to undertake the night nursing in Loughlinstown. We hope, therefore, that it will be arranged for them to do alternate night and day duty with the lay nurses, so that the latter get some share of day duty.—Yours, etc.,

JAMES McCANN, Vice-President,
The Irish Nurses' and Midwives' Union.
29 South Anne street, Dublin,
November 1st, 1922.

SMALLPOX—A WARNING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The outbreak of smallpox in London (Deptford) and the appearance in other English centres should put the public health authorities in Ireland on the alert. The introduction of smallpox into Dublin might take places at any moment. The cost of not being prepared to meet it might have very serious consequences, and it would have a fruitful soil for dissemination in the city.

Active preventive measures—strict isolation of the first cases, watchfulness at our ports, and the enforcement of the Vaccination Acts—are all more or less indicated. Closing the door when the proverbial steed has been stolen will not suffice when dealing with such a dangerous enemy as smallpox.—Yours, etc.,

D. EDGAR FLINN.

Dublin, November 1st, 1922.

IRISH INDUSTRIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As a visitor to Dublin, I think it my duty to call attention to a very wonderful Irish industry, which has been put down, although I doubt that the Irish people will ever believe in these

THE CURRACH.

MANY CLOSE FINISHES.

MERMAID WINS AGAIN.

There was again a small attendance at the Curragh yesterday, but the racing, as on the opening day, was full of interest. The overnight rain had little effect on the going, which for the period of the year was in excellent order. All traces of rain had disappeared long before racing was resumed, and, with the sun shining out in genial fashion, the cold breeze was tempered to an extent to make the conditions very enjoyable. There were many exciting races during the afternoon, the finishes, as a rule, being close; and the Millicent Plate, which Mermaid won, was a particularly interesting affair.

The seven runners for the Oldtown Optional Selling Hurdle Race were a very moderate lot, and in what little wagering there was Sandy Row and Hawthorn Hill commanded most support. This proved excellent choosing, for the fancied pair were the leaders during the last half-mile of the race, and Sandy Row always holding the other safe won very easily. He was subsequently submitted to auction, but failed to elicit a bid beyond the £100 for which he was entered to be sold. Eastford, who, it appears, ran much better in the Cambridgeshire than reports of the race would suggest, was made favourite for the Scurry Plate, and carried his big impost of 9st. 10lb. into third place. Well though he ran, there was never any doubt about his being held safe by Grave Fairy and Corfie, the pair that beat him. Corfie, whose weight was reduced 5lb. through the apprentice, D. Quirke, riding him, was bang in front for four furlongs, but failed to stay out the distance, and was easily beaten by Grave Fairy, whose stable companion, First House, was a better favourite, but finished only fourth.

The Millicent Plate attracted a field of eleven runners, and eight of these came in for support in the wagering. Mermaid and Bachelor's Sketch eventually left off in chief request, and they finished first and third, divided by Irish Ire, whose success would have given the layers a great race. A head and a neck divided the placed horses, and the probability is that the 4lb. overweight which M. Ward had to carry on Irish Ire just meant the difference between defeat and success. The apprentice, E. Cullen, rode a particularly good finish on Mermaid, and is evidently a jockey of considerable promise.

Some amends were made for the defeat of Bachelor's Sketch when Marie Marco won the Southern Plate. She had to be hard ridden to do so, for Magnet's Pet put in a very strong challenge in the last furlong, and was only beaten in a fine finish by half a length. Drum beg disappointed his connections in the Ruanbeg Plate, being relegated into third place, well behind by Wardley Dell and Rhino. For the last furlong it was a duel between Wardley Dell and Rhino, and the former staying on the better won in easy style. There was another turn up in the White Abbey Plate, the outsider, Golden Grey, who had won the previous day, winning by a short head from Mullagher-a-boo, while the favourite, Buscaill Breah, failed to finish in the first three. Details:—

1.15—**THE OLDTOWN PLATE** of 100 sovs. A hurdle race. 1¼ m.

Mr. G. P. Fleming's bl. or br. g. SANDY ROW, by Ulster King—Mrs. Battle, 5, 10-9 ..... Jos. Doyle 1

Mr. J. T. O'Ryan's HAWTHORN HILL, 5, 10-9 ..... M. Connors 2

Mr. T. Vaughan's HUNTING HALL, 6, 10-6 ..... T. Duggan 3

Mr. R. Dunne's Slovenly Saint, 5, 11-4 ..... Mr. L. Byrne 0

Mr. Jas. Hooney's Castle Dodd, 4, 11-0 ..... D. Colbert 0

Mr. P. Cullinan's Tyrrell's Pass, 4, 10-2 ..... A. Gorman 0

Mr. A. McCann's Shining Bachelor, 4, 10-7 ..... Moloney 0

(Winner trained by J. Doyle.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. SANDY ROW and Hawthorn Hill, 4 to 1 Shining Bachelor, 6 to 1 Slovenly Saint, 10 to 1 each Hunting Hall and Castle Dodd, 20 to 1 any other.

Tyrrell's Pass showed the way to Hawthorn Hill, Shining Bachelor, Sandy Row, and Castle Dodd next, but half the journey from Hawthorn Hill was in front of Tyrrell's Pass, Shining Bachelor, Hawthorn Hill, and Slovenly Saint, approaching the last hurdle, from which the first named, followed by Hawthorn Hill, and won by two lengths; a length divided second and third. Shining Bachelor was fourth, Slovenly Saint fifth, and Tyrrell's Pass sixth.

There was no bid for the winner.

1.45—**SCURRY PLATE** of 200 sovs. A handicap. 6f. 65 yds.

Mr. J. J. M'Auley's br. m. GRAVE FAIRY, by Grave Greek—Mountain Fairy, 5, 7-8 ..... D. Palman 1

Mr. J. S. Graham's CORFIE, 3, 7-8 D. Quirke 2

Capt. Shirley's ESSEXFORD, 4, 9-10 M. Wing 3

Mr. D. Foley's Flower Vale, 6, 9-3 ..... E. Quirke 0

Mr. J. D. Barnett's Pearl Ash, 3, 8-7 D. Ward 0

Mr. W. Parrish's First House, 4, 8-7 ..... H. Beasley 0

Mr. A. Adams' Wiskst, 3, 8-2 (car. 8-3) ..... T. Burns 0

Mr. W. Duffy's Ellen Gibby, a, 7-13 A. Barrett 0

Capt. C. Nugent's Martina, 3, 7-5 ..... Mr. Doyle 0

(Winner trained by F. Grundy.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Essexford, 4 to 1 First House, 5 to 1 GRAVE FAIRY, 6 to 1 each Corfie and Martina, 7 to 1 Ellen Gibby, 10 to 1 any other.

Corfie led from Ellen Gibby, Pearl Ash, Essexford, Grave Fairy, First House, and Martina, for four furlongs, when Grave Fairy took second place and, leading Corfie close home, won by a length; three lengths divided second and third. First House was fourth, Flower Vale fifth, Martina sixth, Ellen Gibby seventh, and Wisket next.

2.15—**MILLICENT PLATE** of 200 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Mr. C. F. Kenyon's ch. m. MERMAID, by Aquacitus—Germaine, 5, 7-5 ..... W. Cullen 1

Mr. M. Irwin's IRISH IRE, 4, 7-3 (car. 7-7) ..... M. Ward 2

Mr. F. S. Myercough's BACHELOR'S SKETCH, 4, 8-0 ..... J. Dines 3

Mr. W. C. Carr's Vesta, 3, 8-7 ..... A. Barrett 0

Mr. W. O'Donohoe's Symmetrian, 4, 8-6 ..... E. Quirke 0

Mr. C. Swords's Miss Miranda, 5, 7-13 D. Ward 0

Mr. T. J. O'Neill's Magic Ring, 3, 7-12 ..... J. Patman 0

Mr. J. J. Murphy's Hector's Pride, 3, 7-9 ..... Mr. Doyle 0

Mr. J. Ryan's Roydamna, 3, 7-1 (car. 7-2) ..... D. Quirke 0

Lord Kenmare's Skittles, 3, 6-9 ..... W. Treacy 0

Mr. C. C. Berry's Personify, 4, 6-9 R. Fedigan 0

(Winner trained by D. B. McKenna.)

Betting—9 to 2 each agst. MERMAID and Bachelor's Sketch, 5 to 1 Symmetrian, 6 to 1 each Miss Miranda, Magic Ring, and Hector's Pride, 10 to 1 each Vesta and Roydamna, 20 to 1 Irish Ire or any other.

Mermaid was slow to begin, and Hector's Pride came on from Irish Ire, Symmetrian, Vesta, Mermaid, Bachelor's Sketch, Personify, and Roydamna, to the advance, when Irish Ire took the lead, but was overhauled close home by Mermaid, who won a good race by a head; a neck divided second and third. Symmetrian was fourth, Vesta fifth, Personify sixth, Skittles seventh, Miss Miranda eighth, and Hector's Pride next.

2.45—**SOUTHERN PLATE** of 100 sovs Weight for age, etc. 1¼ m.

Mr. W. Parrish br. f. MARIE MARCO, by My Prince—Maj. Fleet, 3, 10-5 ..... H. Beasley 1

Mr. G. Martyn's MAGNET'S PET, 3, 9-11 ..... T. Burns 2

Mr. J. Westlake's LOUVOIS PRIDE, 3, 10-3 ..... Joseph Canty 3

Mrs. D. Moloney a Homeland, 5, 10-5 C. Aylin 0

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Belgian Boy, 3, 9-12 ..... E. Quirke 0

Mr. W. F. Power's Warfate, 3, 9-4 ..... D. Quirke 0

Mr. J. G. Lynch's Tullyleak, 3, 9-4 F. Hunter 0

Mr. B. O'Donnell's Tipp Tivoli, 6, 8-9 ..... James Doyle 0

(Winner trained by F. Grundy.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. MARIE MARCO, 5 to 2 Louvois Pride, 4 to 1 Belgian Boy, 6 to 1 Magnet's Pet, 10 to 1 Homeland, 100 to 8 any other.

Homeland began slowly, and Louvois Pride showed in front of Belgian Boy, Magnet's Pet, Warfate, Marie Marco, Tipp Tivoli and Tullyleake, for half the journey, when Marie Marco improved her position. Entering the straight Belgian Boy was in front of Marie Marco, Louvois Lass, and Magnet's Pet; but at the distance Marie Marco assumed command and won by half a length; a length and a half separated second and third. Tipp Tivoli was fourth, Tullyleake fifth, Belgian Boy sixth, and Warfate next.

3.15—**RUANBEG PLATE** of 100 sovs For two years old. 5 f.

Mr. E. Kennedy's b. f. WARDLEY DELL, by Harry Mellon—Asiadale, 8-6 ..... E. Quirke 1

Mr. W. Parrish's RHINO, 9-2 ..... H. Beasley 2

Major Dixon's DRUMBEG, 8-6 ..... Joseph Canty 3

Mr. R. M. Silcock's Hope On, 9-5 ..... A. Barrett 0

Mr. J. T. Rogers' Plucky Lass, 9-6 ..... J. Crotty 0

Mr. J. T. Rogers' Foreman, 9-6 ..... M. Wing 0

Mr. S. Grehan's Full Choke, 9-6 ..... M. Barrett 0

Mr. J. H. Nicolle's Grey Drip, 9-5 ..... Joseph Harty 0

Mr. T. J. O'Neill's Roxy Lass, 9-6 ..... J. Patman 0

Mrs. Rankin's Double Prospect, 8-1 T. Belfort 0

Mr. A. B. Coyle's Tilling, 9-6 ..... J. Dines 0

(Winner trained by T. Bailie.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Drumbeg, 5 to 2 Rhino, 4 to 1 Foreman, 100 to 8 WARDLEY DELL or any other.

Foreman led from Rhino, Wardley Dell, Drumbeg and Full Choke to the distance when Wardley Dell drew to the front, and holding Rhino at bay won easily by a length and a half; three lengths divided second and third. Foreman was fourth, Plucky Lad fifth, Hope On sixth, Double Prospect seventh, Tilling eighth, and Roxy Land next.

There was no bid for the winner.

3.45—**WHITE ABBEY PLATE** of 100 sovs. A handicap. 1¼ m.

Mr. John Ryan's ch. c. GOLDEN GREY, by William Rufus—Iseleon, 8-1 ..... E. Quirke 1

Mr. P. FitzGerald's MULLAGHER-A-BOO, 7-8 ..... Mr. P. J Murphy 2

MERRIE MEMORIES, 7-5 ..... James Doyle 3

Mr. T. A. Byrne's Prince Hiram 8-13 J. Doherty 0

Mr. Porter Porter's Killucan 8-9 ..... T. Burns 0

Mr. J. Hayes' Highland Daisy 8-0 ..... D. Ward 0

Mr. T. G. O'Brien's Simon Orb, 7-13 (car. 8-1) ..... H. Beasley 0

Mr. J. H. Locke's Entangler, 7-6 (car 7-11) ..... J. Walsh 0

Mr. T. N. Perry's Glenmonnie, 7-6 ..... P. Coyne 0

Mrs. Moss's Night Mail, 7-3 ..... W. Farrell 0

Miss M. Hayes' Buscaill Breah 6-9 R. Cullen 0

(Winner trained by A. Anthony.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Buscaill Breah, 3 to 1 Mullagher-a-Boo, 6 to 1 Highland Daisy, 7 to 1 each Merrie Memories and Simon Orb, 10 to 1 GOLDEN GREY, 100 to 8 Killucan, 100 to 1 any other.

Golden Grey showed in front of Mullagher-a-Boo, Merrie Memories, Killucan, Entangler, and Highland Daisy, and resisting the challenge of Mullagher-a-Boo, Golden Grey won a good race by a short head; six lengths divided second and third. Highland Daisy was fourth, Buscaill Breah fifth, Simon Orb sixth Killucan eighth, and Entangler next.

BADMINTON.

ANGLESEA B.C.—Play will open on Saturday next, November 4, at 3 p.m.

WINDSOR.

TREVISO AGAIN.

BOSCOMBE WINS FROG-MORE NURSERY PLATE.

The Windsor executive appears to have more than its share of adverse weather conditions. Fog and frost are frequent spoil-sports in winter, and more than once the flat racing here has been prevented by flood. The racing was not now stopped, but pouring rain throughout yesterday afternoon rendered matters most uncomfortable, after having interfered with the attendance, whilst the changed conditions undoubtedly had their effect on the running. Miss White, though ridden by Donoghue, again ran badly in the Mill Maiden Plate, which was won by Leeds United. The winner is owned by the Leeds solicitor, Mr. Arthur Willey, one of the Parliamentary candidates for the Central Division of that city. The horse, of course, takes its name from the local league football club, in which Mr. Willey is interested.

In winning the Rays Selling Handicap Nous Verrons palpably interefered with Glen Eagle, almost knocking him off his legs. In the end the latter only finished third, but Whalley promptly lodged an objection, which, very properly, proved fatal. Of course, Glen Eagle did not get the race, but his owner, Mr. Edge, was able to share the selling surplus. understand that, if the objection had not been lodged in the ordinary way, the Stewards would have taken action on their own account. They could scarcely, in fact, have done otherwise.

Jones, the rider of the disqualified horse, was absolved from all blame, and he at once proceeded to ride the winners of the two succeeding races. For the first of these the top weight, Corcyrian, was very much expected, but he, perhaps, did not produce his very best form. At the same time Treviso had the race well won a good distance from home—his third successive victory. Treviso likes yielding going, and the conditions just suited him. Jones upset another Stockbridge favourite when winning the Frogmore Nursery. It was only in the last stride that he got up on Boscombe to beat the much-expected Atirovaf, on whom Carslake did not appear to ride one of his best finishes.

Time got the best of a close finish for the Black Nest Welter. His only other success had been at the Curragh in the spring. Dark Vixen scored in the Apprentice Stakes, being nicely handled by R. Duller, a younger brother of the hurdle race rider, George Duller.

1.30—**MILL Y.Y.O. (3.) PLATE** of £200. 5 f. Mr. Willey's br. f. LEEDS UNITED, by Golden Sun—Pond Flow, 8-11 ..... F. Jones 1

Lord Londonderry's YAL DE GRACE, 9-11 ..... H. Jelliss – Also ran:—Bulford (E. Piper), Miss White (Donoghue), C.A.V (Gardner), Amphora g. (Gray), Castle Law (W. Smyth), Lady Francis (J. Morris), Bithynia g. (E. Morris). (Winner trained by Pope.)

Betting—Evens Amphora g., 3 to 1 Miss White 6 to 1 LEEDS UNITED, 8 to 1 Bulford, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by two lengths; a neck.

The winner was bought in for 200 gns.

2.0—**RAYS (3.) HANDICAP** of £200. 1m. Mrs. Blain's b. g. PROLIFIC, by Sunflower II.—Fair Anna, 6, 7-6 ..... Wragg 1

Mr. Edge's GLEN EAGLE, 5, 7-10 ..... Whalley 2

Mr. Wootton's TAREE, 5, 6-9 ..... Smirke 3

Also ran—Mantunaus (Donoghue), More Sanity (Fox), St. George (R. Stokes), Mr. Shepherd (Lynch), Chromosphere (Ingham), Nous Verrons (H. James), Nous Verrons (R. A. Jones), disq. (Winner trained by White.)

Betting—7 to 2 agst Taree, 4 to 1 Nous Verrons, 5 to 1 Mantunaus, 7 to 1 PROLIFIC, 8 to 1 each Chromosphere and Glen Eagle, 10 to 1 any other.

Nous Verrons won by half a length from Prolific, with Glen Eagle the same distance away third.

An objection by Whalley, the rider of Glen Eagle, against Nous Verrons on the ground that the latter was upheld, but in disqualifying Nous Verrons the Stewards exonerated R. A. Jones from intentional interference. Taree was subsequently fourth.

The winner was sold to Mr. H. C. Dove for .60 gns.

2.30—**CLARENCE THREE-YEAR OLD HANDICAP** of £5500. 1m.

Colonel Story's b. g. TREVISO, by Black Jester—Trevi, 6-13 ..... R. Jones

Mr. Sharp's AVOTTE, 7-12 ..... J. Brennan 3

Sir R. Jardine's PICCADILLY, 7-5 ..... Wragg 2

Mr. G. Murray's Corcyrian, 9-2 ..... Carslake 0

Mr. Edge's GALLIO, 8-12 ..... J. Childs 0

Lord Allendale's Austin Friars, 8-12 ..... Jelliss 0

Lord Carnarvon's Flavius, 7-12 ..... Donoghue 0

Mr. Bendir's Straight Flight, 6-12 ..... Perryman 0

Mrs. Bendir's Excel, 8-1 ..... Goldstein 0

Mr. Brown's Lomount 7-6 ..... Elliott 0

Mrs. M. Bell's Silver Thistle, 7-1 ..... Weston 0

Mr. H. Rhodes' Woolley Bridge, 6-10 ..... Crickmore 0

Colonel Parkinson's Silvanus, 6-10 ..... T. Morgan 0

Mr. F. Benson's Croiseur, 6-8 ..... Ingham 0

(Winner trained by R. Dawson.)

Betting—3 to 1 Corcyrian, 4 to 1 TREVISO 7 to 2 each agst. Lomont and Silver Thistle, 8 to 1 each Flavius and Silvanus, 10 to 1 each Gallio, Excel, and Picadilly, 100 to 6 any other.

From an excellent start Treviso showed the way to Silver Thistle, Flavius and Lomont, who were succeeded Gallio and Corcyrian, Woolley Bridge whipping-in. Coming into the straight, Gallio was in front second to Treviso, Corcyrian, Lomont, Excel, ing from Gavotte and Piccadilly, and holding his own, won by three-quarters of a length; five lengths separated second and third. Five lengths from Silver Thistle fifth, and Silvanus last.

3.0—**FROGMORE NURSERY** of £400. 5 f.

Mr. Bendir's br. c. BOSCOMBE, by Rol Herode—Sospel, 7-2 ..... R. Jones 1

Duke of Westminster's ATIROVAF, 8-7 Carslake 2

Mr. Grant's OVERSEER, 7-8 ..... Fox 3

Also ran—Tittenhurst (J. Leach), Mainguff (Whalley), Wood Harmony (Robbins), Lake Superior (Wragg), Cannon Ball (Gillett), Nectarina (Donoghue), Brixton (Smirke), Bird Bill (T. Childs), Bold Danby (G. Green), Silvanus (R. Stokes), Cantelupe (T. Weston), Anitra's Dance (Lynch). (Winner trained by G. Sadler.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Atirovaf, 7 to 2 Nectarina, 5 to 1 Overseer, 7 to 1 BOSCOMBE, 10 to 1 Bold Danby, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a head; two lengths.

3.30—**BLACK NEST HANDICAP** of £200 6 f. Mr. McAlinden's c. TIME, by My Prince—C.C., 4, 8-11 ..... Smirke 1

Mr. Knowles's LOMOND WINE, 3, 7-12 ..... Feltham 2

Lady Cunliffe-Owen's PRECIOUS, 4, 9-11 Gray 3

Also ran—The President (J. Brennan), Santaquest (Jelliss), Queen's Guild (W. Wright), Warrington (F. Lane), Irish Eagle (Whalley), Twickenham (Donoghue), Sun Orb (J. Leach), Flying Ida (J. Clark), Glenullin (Morris), Sanhedrim (Bullock). Bachelor's Favourite (A. Harris), Squarson (Elliott), Warrior (S. James), Aliados (Lynch). (Winner trained by Beatty.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Precious, 7 to 2 Almond Wine, 8 to 1 each Sonarson and Santaquest, 10 to 1 each TIME, Irish Eagle, and Glenstella, 100 to 8 Warrington, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a neck; same.

4.0—**APPRENTICES' STAKES** of £2 each, with £200 added. 1¼ m.

Mr. Vernon's br. f. DARK VIXEN, by Son-in-Law—Shannon, 3, 6-7 ..... R. Duller 1

Mr. Webb's DARK EMERALD, 3, 6-10 Marshall 2

Mr. White's RHINO BIRD, 3, 6-4 ..... Collins 3

Also ran—Can Cregan (Bennally), Victor Noir (Moore), Clincher (Perryman). (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst Dark Emerald, 5 to 2 each Clincher and DARK VIXEN, 10 to 1 any other. Won by three lengths; a neck.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The programme for the concluding stage of the meeting should prove quite as interesting as did the card which was run through yesterday afternoon, and each of the two principal events should attract plenty of speculation. On account of the bearing which the result may have upon more than one long-distance race shortly to be decided, the running for the Combermere Handicap will doubtless be closely watched. It is unlikely that The Villager will be asked to turn out a second time this week, and I take it that Sanhedrim will represent Ward's stable instead of Norseman. Herod Philip is not out of the running, despite his penalty, and of Lambton's pair I prefer the chance of Crevasse, who showed signs last week of returning to her best form. Prince Herod appears to hold about the same chance as Herod Philip. Selections:—

Forest Nursery—**Uncle Bones.**

Castle Handicap—**Joust.**

Combermere Handicap—**Junise; Prince Herod,** win and place.

College Nursery—**Volexter.**

Thames Three-Year-Old Handicap—**Western Hill.**

Athens Maiden Stakes—**Quarterdeck.**

(The figures preceding the horses' names are the placings in the last three races in which engaged. S. indicates started slowly.)

1.30—FOREST (3.) NURSERY of £200. 5 f.

31s	BALLARN (Mr. Fry)	Gwilt	8 6
421	DOMINICAN (Mr. Schaverien)	Nugent	8 4
00	AMPHORA (Mr. Miller)	Bell	8 3
01	CANNON BALL (Mr. Dickson)	Rhodes	8 3
220	PICKLE DON (Mr. Howard)	Butters	7 13
204	COURT CIRCLE (Mr. G. Harrison)	M. Hartigan	7 10
000	WAR MINT P. (Mr. Sanderson D. Rogers		7 5
400	LANCINI (Mr. Savill)	Savill	7 0

(The above have arrived.)

004	FLYING DISPATCH (Mr. Watson)	Moss	8 9
000	BLUSHDELLA F. (Mr. Fielden)	R. Dawson	8 2
130	BARBARUS (Mr. Allen)	Roberts	8 2
100	KRUGNARIA (Mr. Boas)	Smyth	8 0
222	PASSENHAM (Mr. Shaw)	Gwilt	8 0
310	TUNMORE (Mr. Harris)	White	7 13
31s	UNCLE BONES (Mr. Scorer)	MacColl	7 11
020	CLAUDIA LORENA F. (Mr. Dickson)	Rintoul	7 11
001	JOANFAX (Mr. H. Morris)	H. Morris	7 10
000	SEMISPHERE (Mr. Brasser)	H. Sadler	7 10
00	FLORIO (Mr. J. de Rothschild)	J. Walsh	7 9
000	SWEET CHARITY (Mr. Williams)	F. Coyne	7 9
100	BEURRE NOIR (Mrs. Blain)	Spittle	7 9
s01	MISS CHINA KEEN (Mr. Wanden)	Larkin	7 8
000	VERNE F. (Mr. Dixon)	Feltham	7 7
020	CONJECTURE F. (Mrs. Stewart)	Stewart	7 7
004	FLUTE G. (Lady Farrar)	Whitaker	7 7
000	XOTIQUE (Mr. de Mestre)	Wootton	7 7
000	KILFINNY F. (Lt. Penrhyn)	H. Sadler	7 6
000	PUDDLEDUCK (Mr. Rose)	F. Hartigan	7 6
0s0	OUT KIT (Mr. Larkin)	Larkin	7 5
000	LITTLE GEM ROSE (Capt. Wayland)	Hunt	7 5
034	CALABRIA (Mr. Brown)	E. J. Collins	7 4
320	PURSE PROUD (Mr. Bancroft)	Easterbee	7 4
040	LEMBURGH (Mr. Brain)	Berry	7 3
002	CODFORD (Sir H. Bird)	Earl	7 4
000	PORTENTURE (Sir W. Gilbey)	T. Cannon	7 3
040	FIRST TURN F. (Mr. Handy)	Rose	7 3
000	KASHANA F. (Mr. Bend)	Talbot	7 3
003	MOUNTAIN FAIRY C. (Mrs. Dickson)	Rintoul	7 0
000	CHERRY BRANDY (Mr. Templeman)	Templeman	6 13
000	FIRST ARROW G. (Mr. Day)	Day	6 13
003	FOAM (Mrs. Dickson)	Rintoul	6 11
000	BALLTOUNGE (Mr. Nightingall)	W. Nightingall	6 11
203	THREE STAR C. (Mrs. Stevens)	Stevens	6 10
040	MADEMOISELLE PICOTT F. (Mr. Deenie)	Poole	6 10
000	POLY GOLDSMITH (Mr. Green)	Robson	6 10

2.0—CASTLE (3.) HANDICAP of £200. 6 f.

000	QUICKENHAM (Capt. Wayland)	Hunt	5 9 7
s44	KUBU RAY (Mrs. Gibson)	D. Waugh	5 8 9
000	FAIR CLARICE (Mr. White)	Ward	5 8 1
003	BRANDYBALL (Mrs. Howard)	W. Nightingall	5 7 13
000	PURPLE HERON (Mr. G. Sadler)	Sadler	5 7 13
100	WEAL OR WOE (Mr. Hassan)	H. Loader	5 7 4
040	ARTEMESIA (Mr. Howard)	Lines	5 7 4
004	HEWDEN (Mrs. Bennett)	Bennett	5 6 13
000	ANTIMAGIO (Mr. Boyle)	F. Loader	5 6 12
000	LOLOITE (Mr. Sadler)	Sadler, jun.	4 6 10

(The above have arrived.)

s34	CAMARALZAMAN (Sir H. Mentz)	Foxon	5 9 5
100	DESERT ROSE (Mr. Miller)	O. Bell	5 9 3
222	LOWFORD (Mr. Purcell)	McColl	5 9 0
033	PICCOLISKO (Mr. Ioannou)	W. Nightingall	5 8 11
300	LADY SHIMMER (Mr. Vernon)	Wootton	4 8 7
014	LADY BESSA (Mrs. Cameron)	Cameron	5 8 2
000	OLYMPUS (Col. Parkinson)	Reardon	4 8 0
001	FREDIAL (Mrs. Bendir)	Davidson	5 8 0
s30	LOLA (Col. Jickling)	Kemp	5 8 0
441	FERS LA CERISE (Mr. Warner)	Moss	4 8 0
000	BLANDFORD (Mr. Dickson)	Rintoul	5 8 0
000	TRPUS (Capt. Thistlethwayte)	Wilmot	5 8 0
000	LONSDHIP SIGHT (Mr. Pigeon)	Rintoul	4 8 0
103	HEADLONG ENAF. (Mr. MacColl)	MacColl	4 7 13
0	SOME WOLF (Mr. A. Hunt)	Hunt	4 7 12
235	MASCLINO (Mr. T. Edge)	Poole	4 7 12
020	LITTLE GENTLEMAN (Mr. Bristow)	Rintoul	5 7 11
000	MARTINMAS (Mr. Rintoul)	Rintoul	5 7 11
203	JOUST (Mr. Wootton)	Wootton	4 7 11
003	FLEMINGTON (Mr. White)	Whitaker	4 7 10
302	JULI (Mr. C. Leader)	O. Leader	4 7 10
000	ROEDERER (Mr. Thompson)	Morris	7 9
000	LOW LAD (Mrs. Stevens)	Stevens	5 7 8
300	MARCHIO PAANI (Mrs. Bennett)	Bennett	5 7 8
443	FROLIFIC (Mrs. Blain)	Spittle	6 7 8
300	MISS GAVIDIA (Lady Wimborne)	Sonrar	5 7 7
000	TOM'S LASS (Mr. Marrell)	Marrell	5 7 5
000	OLD GLORY (Mr. Burrough)	Burrough	5 7 5
300	BENEFICE (Mr. Brock)	MacColl	4 7 5
000	DESPONDE (Mr. Dulley)	Dulley	6 7 5
300	ROCK HILL (Mr. Bown)	Smyth	5 7 0
000	DAME ARCHIE (Mr. Aston)	Sherwood	5 6 13
000	NORTH AND SOUTH (Mr. Bradford)	Bradford	3 6 15
003	PERFECT SAILOR (Mr. Hassan)	H. Loader	3 6 13
000	SOLITAIRE (Mr. F. Young)	Marden	3 6 12
s00	VELENSA (Col. Corbet)	Cookson	3 6 10
000	PERSONE (Mr. Dulley)	Dulley	6 10
000	MISS HOPSON (Mr. Larkin)	Larkin	4 6 10
000	NORDRECK (Mr. H. Rhodes)	Coldbeck	3 6 10

2.30—COMBERMERE HANDICAP of £600. 1 m. 5 f.

101	HEROD PHILIP (Mr. Montagu)	Ex. (Capt.	Blackwell 5 8 12
014	FOREMAN (Mr. White)	Ward	5 8 8
000	TOMAHAWK (Mr. Weil)	W. Nightingall	4 8 6
441	PRINCE HEROD (Mr. Pender)	Darling	5 7 10
323	SOLACE (Mr. Horsnup)	B. Jarvis	3 7 9
331	CHARTERED (Col. Pitcairn)	A. Gordon	4 7 5

(The above have arrived.)

400	DOUBLE UP (Mr. B. Walker)	Hartigan	5 9 0
000	GLORIOSO (Ld. Derby)	Lambton	4 8 9
021	BATTLE (Mr. Singer)	Walls	4 8 8
034	CREVASSE (Ld. Derby)	Lambton	5 8 8
103	JUNCTION (Mr. R. Dawson)	Dawson	4 8 0
311	THE VILLAGER (Sir H. Rothschild)	Mr. Bullock	4 8 0
410	BRITHRANIACH (Mat)	Carver	4 8 7
103	GALWAY PRINCE (Mr. Barclay)	Barclay	5 7 9
033	SANHEDRIM (Mr. White)	Ward	4 7 7
103	POLYBIUS (Sir R. Cunliffe-Owen)	Dale	5 7 7
000	CHARLES SURFACE (Mr. Wragg)	Wragg	4 7 7
500	WAZZERWITCH (Mr. MacColl)	MacColl	5 7 7
000	GLASS HOUSE (Mrs. Heyboura)	J. Bell	4 7 4
000	LILLEY HILL (Mr. Dixon)	Bell	4 7 4
000	HELEN MAR (Mr. Parker)	Parker	4 7 0
300	SONG (Mr. Davison)	E. Piggott	6 7 0
000	DARK BELLE (Mr. Evans)	Scott	4 7 0
000	SON O' SIMON (Mr. Vernon)	Wootton	6 6 9
000	GRANDSON (Ld. Chelmsford)	Duller	6 6 7
000	BORY O'NEIL (Ld. Beresford)	White	6 6 7

3.0—COLLEGE NURSERY of £500. 6 f.

024	VOLEXTER (Ld. Carnarvon)	R. Dawson	8 8
001	VALPARAISO (100h. ex.) (Ld. Glanely)	C. Marsh	8 8
130	BRIXTON (Capt. Montagu)	F. Hartigan	7 11
000	BENEVOLENCE (Mr. G. Smith)	H. Sadler	7 11

(The above have arrived.)

400	JEDDART (Mr. Woolaston)	Darling	9 0
1	SUNNY EYES (Duke of Portland)	Farquharson	8 12
102	HATCHPORD (Sir H. Samuelson)	Farquharson	8 12
038	PORTUMNA (Lady Nunburnholme)	Powney	8 11
114	WONDER (Mr. Howard)	F. Darling	8 10
130	PATRICIAN (Mr. Drage)	Darling	8 10
030	HEATHER BONET (Mrs. Cayser)	Gooch	8 9
000	REDSKEESE (Mr. Walker)	H. Leader	8 8
01	BATTLE CRUISER (Sir F. Wootton)	Pope	8 7
s13	ALMERIA BAY C. (Mrs. J. Howard)	W. Nightingall	8 6
130	GAMELA (Mr. Deane)	Taylor	8 5
120	SCHOOLGAZER (Mr. Dixon)	Walls	8 3
100	SUNNY HILL (Mr. Howard)	Butters	8 0
000	PHEMIUS (Mr. Drage)	Darling	7 13
003	SCRUMPTIOUS (Sir E. Nation)	D. Waugh	7 10
100	THIEF (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)	Leach, sen.	7 12
001	PALE MOON (Mr. Bendir)	Rhodes	7 9
314	GLASTONBURY (Mr. Gaisman)	O. Bell	7 11
000	CHEVRONNE (Mr. Rose)	Cottrill	7 11
s01	BENJAMIN CHERRY (Mrs. Beard)	Hartigan	7 10
004	MYLA C. (Capt. Fielden)	Harper	7 10
000	TROTOOSEY (Ld. Woolavington)	O. Bell	7 10
402	POMBAL (Mr. Courtauld)	F. Darling	7 8
000	CONSONANT (Mr. Shaw)	Gwilt	7 5
000	ORLANDER (Mr. Pilcher)	Rhodes	7 5
400	LADY OF THE ROSE (Mr. White)	Ward	7 4
000	CHEAP TALK (Mr. Dunn)	Martin	7 4
100	POWDER (Sir W. Gilbey)	T. Cannon	7 4
000	GREEN (Mr. Baron)	Whitaker	7 4
000	ELMA (Mr. Rogers)	Sheehy	7 3
000	QUEEN DESMOND C. (Mr. M. Sinnott)	Morris	7 0
000	LEEDS ROCK (Mr. Smith)	McCormack	6 7 9

3.30—THAMES THREE-Y.-O. HANDICAP of £500. 7 f.

000	SUN CURE (Mrs. Deed)

SMALLPOX FEAR.

COUNCIL'S CALL FOR ACTION.

REGULATIONS AT DUBLIN PORT.

There are now thirty cases of smallpox in London, and, in view of the constant communication between that city and Dublin, the Rathmines Urban Council yesterday decided to call on the authorities to enforce the vaccination laws in Ireland.

A GRAVE DANGER.

LAPSED VACCINATION LAWS.

Mrs. Kettle, in moving the adoption of the minutes of the Public Health Committee, said that the Press had recently been directing attention to an outbreak of smallpox in London, and had been emphasising the grave danger of an outbreak occurring in Dublin, as, naturally, there was constant communication between London and Dublin. The outbreak in London was of a particularly violent character, and she thought that medical opinion generally agreed that if such an epidemic occurred in Dublin it would have very grave consequences. As a member of the Public Health Committee, she thought it only right to emphasise the warning of the Press, and to call on the authorities who dealt with these matters to see that vaccination took place. She understood that vaccination was compulsory in Ireland, but that during the last few years the law had been allowed to lapse. In view of the grave danger she thought that the officers ought to be asked to enforce the law.

The Chairman seconded the adoption of the minutes of the Public Health Committee. With regard to Mrs. Kettle's statement about vaccination, he thought that it required serious consideration and attention by those in authority. He remembered that the late Sir Charles Cameron, who was an expert in these matters, was very much in favour of vaccination. He hoped that this epidemic would not take place in the city, and every precaution should be taken.

The minutes were then adopted.

PORT PRECAUTIONS.

All necessary precautions are being taken at the Port of Dublin to prevent the introduction of infection. Experienced officials visit incoming vessels from overseas, and the slightest case of illness on board must, by Board of Trade Regulations, be reported by the captains of all such vessels. Where the shadow of a doubt exists, no member of the crew is allowed to set foot on the Dublin quays until the medical officer has thoroughly satisfied himself that no danger exists, and has officially said so.

Another matter, however, is the arrival in Dublin of ordinary cross-Channel passengers by steamers to Kingstown and the Liffey.

RUSH FOR VACCINATION.

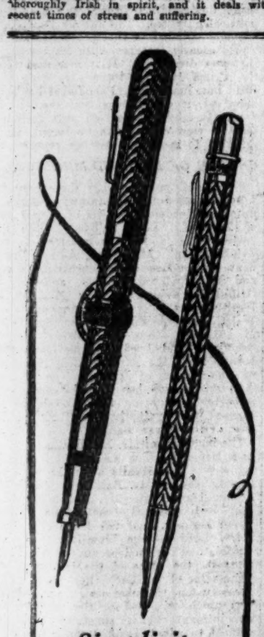
There are now thirty cases of smallpox in London, an official of the Metropolitan Asylums Board stated yesterday. Five more affected persons were removed from Poplar, and one, an eight-year-old girl living at Vauxhall Walk, from Lambeth. Poplar cases alone number 32. The new cases have all been removed by the river ambulance to the isolation hospital at Long Reach, near Darenth, Kent. Four of the smallpox patients are still seriously ill.

The public vaccinators of Poplar have had hard work in coping with hundreds of applications for vaccination, and the doctors at Stepney and Lambeth, besides having to deal with persons brought into contact with the new cases, are being asked to vaccinate numbers of cautious people, who have come forward voluntarily.

IRISH PRIZE NOVEL.

Some twelve months ago the Talbot Press announced an Irish prize novel competition, offering 100 guineas for the best story of Irish life, on the condition that it should be a genuine story of action, vividly Irish, bright, bracing, clean and wholesome.

The competition was most satisfactory, and upwards of forty entries were received. The successful competitor was Miss Annie Smithson with a story of modern Irish life entitled "The Walk of a Queen." This novel is said to be thoroughly Irish in spirit, and it deals with recent times of stress and suffering.



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GERMAN TOYS FOR BRITISH BOY.

BIG BID FOR CHRISTMAS TRADE.

Import figures for September show that there has been an increase in value by £10,857 of German toys, showing that Germany is flooding British markets with toys and games for Christmas.

Duty free articles imported from Germany during September show an increase in value of £20,309 over the previous month, and an increase of £22,483 over September of last year.

The value of imported dyes and dyestuffs is creeping up. Iron and steel show a decrease of £21,408.

PETTIGO INCIDENT.

NO TROUBLE ANTICIPATED.

In connection with the incident at Pettigo, Co. Fermanagh (reported yesterday), when Civic Guards were asked to leave the town by the British military officer in charge, it was learned last night in Dublin that no significance is attached to the incident. It is assumed that the military authorities in the Pettigo area had not been informed that it was the intention of the Provisional Government to send Civic Guards to the district. It is not apprehended that any difficulty will arise in connection with the matter.

Our Enniskillen Correspondent, writing yesterday, said there has been no further incident in connection with the refusal of the military authorities in Pettigo to permit the Civic Guard to function there. After the ejection of the Civic Guard there was some rejoicing on the part of the villagers. They claim that before the British Government hands over the village to the Free State they are to get notice, so that they may have time to clear out. The town of Pettigo is essentially a Protestant town, in the centre of a strong Orange district, and part of it is in Northern Ireland. There is still no post office, and all the people there use the post office at Clonelly, County Fermanagh. Within the past month some of the leading families have left for America, in view of the possible handing back of the town to the Free State.

CHURCH'S FUTURE.

COMMON MEETING GROUND, SAYS ACTRESS.

In the course of a letter written in connection with the Westminster Mission, to be held this month in London, Miss Sybil Thorndike, the famous actress who is the daughter of a Canon, says:—"In this extraordinary time of unrest, following the upheaval of the war, one finds on every hand a reaching upwards towards a spiritual understanding of things.

"It is in the superficialities of life that our misunderstandings come. We humans are all so different outwardly, and I suppose it is the differences between men that make life so entertaining. But unless there is some common meeting ground; unless there is some place where we are all speaking the same language, as it were, it seems to be there will always be wars and muddles, and misunderstandings.

"I think, personally, that the Church provides the common meeting ground. The old eternal symbols are a sort of framework in which we can live and move freely, and individually, and are also a universal language between widely different peoples—a sign that they are all going the same way."

KINGSBRIDGE STRIKE.

MR. BERMINGHAM AND THE COMPANY.

There was no change yesterday in connection with the railway strike at Kingsbridge and North Wall, Dublin. No negotiations took place, and pickets were on duty as usual. Mr. Bermingham, Irish Secretary, National Union of Railwaymen, issued a statement last evening in which he spoke of the "misleading material" that appeared in the Press yesterday morning.

The National Union of Railwaymen, says the statement, were parties to the Railway Agreement of 17th February, which contains a clause that provides, that "In the event of abnormal circumstances arising, and providing both sides agree after consulting together, relief should be given to any railway company to meet such emergencies." Owing to the abnormal circumstances prevailing on the Great Southern and Western Railway for some time past, it was agreed to give effect to this clause. For the past fortnight or more the National Union of Railwaymen have been parties to an arrangement with the railway company, wherein it was provided that their members should be guaranteed three, four, and five days' work per week respectively, although during that time the men were aware that there was more work to be done, but they gave way on the company's promise that, should more work present itself, the number of days guaranteed would be the minimum.

The men, continues the statement, contend that the company did not stand by this promise. It alleges that, "if the company had to meet the men's demand for a six days' guarantee and review the question in a reasonable way and arrange to discuss the question again the following week, this trouble would be averted."

As regards perishable commodities, the statement alleges that at the North Wall on certain days as many as 63 docketed and 50 undocketed wagons were left back, and on other days as many as 90 wagons were left back, and during this period the men were kept on short time.

Referring to the company's figures showing the work to be done in a particular week, no mention was made of the amount of work they allowed to accumulate during the preceding weeks.

Referring to the company's attitude in giving the supposed redundant staff a week's notice and a week's pay at the end of the week, the statement concludes:—"The company won't allow the redundant men to resume work and work their week's notice and have value for their money. The men don't require charity, but they require fair play."

MYSTERIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR.

SOLDIER'S DEATH AT OMAGH.

An inquest was held on Tuesday at the Tyrone County Hospital on a young soldier, whose name was given as Private William Bevan, of the King's Own Liverpool Regiment, whose death occurred in that institution from the effects of a gunshot wound.

When the jury had been sworn, the only evidence forthcoming from the military authorities was that given by a private in the Liverpool Regiment, who identified the body, but knew nothing about the shooting.

Medical evidence was given by Dr. Bernard Lagan, after which the inquest was adjourned.

It is understood that Bevan was a servant to an officer stationed at Cecil Augher, and on Sunday, 22nd ult., he was found lying outside his billet suffering from a gunshot wound in the abdomen, which had apparently been inflicted by a revolver found near him. He was removed to Tyrone County Hospital, and in the meantime the unit to which he had been attached had been transferred to Ballykinlar for a course of training. Although inquiries had been instituted by the police authorities, no information could be obtained as to the circumstances of the shooting.

EX-R.I.C. MEN AND THE CIVIC GUARD.

All the resigned Royal Irish Constabulary men in North Tipperary, numbering over sixty-five, assembled yesterday at Roscrea, where Mr. T. F. Maher presided over a meeting to protest against their exclusion from the Civic Guard.

A resolution calling on all resigned members to join was passed. It added that, whatever might happen, being excluded from the Civic Guard, they would insist on getting compensation for their time. They claimed to have done a noble work for Ireland in resigning and that they were treated unfairly.

NEWRY'S NEW LOCK GATES.

Sir W. G. Armstrong, Whitworth and Co., Ltd., have secured the contract, states the *Industrial Daily News*, for the new lock gates for the Victoria Sea Dock at Newry. The existing structures are to be replaced by steel flotation gates. Mr. Thomas M. Newell, Engineer-in-Chief to the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board, was the Consulting Engineer.

ROBBERY UNDER ARMS.

On Tuesday night three young men, on being refused cigarettes which they demanded at a shop on the Lower Kilmainham road, fired two shots. They then stole the cigarettes and 10s. in cash.

CONSTABLE SENT FOR TRIAL.

A Special Court was held in Carrickfergus, when John Campbell, Special constable, was again brought up on a charge of assault on a girl named Mary Kirkpatrick at Red Hall, Ballycarry, on 9th ult. The evidence having been completed, their worships returned the accused for trial in custody to next court of assize.

MOTOR SHOW BOOM.

FOUR MILES OF CARS ON VIEW IN LONDON.

HOTELS CROWDED.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Wednesday.

The great Motor Show which opens at Olympia on Friday is drawing so many visitors to London that there is now great difficulty on the part of those who have not booked rooms in securing accommodation.

Every hotel, it is reported, is booked up, and a newspaper man made a pilgrimage this morning to see what rooms he could get for a week. He was turned away at scores of places, and informed that in several hotels arrangements are being made to put up guests in diningrooms, smoke-rooms, and any other possible corner.

So great has been the pressure that the motor firms have had to make arrangements with their London representatives in many cases to take in their people from the provinces.

The Motor Show will certainly be a great attraction; for there will be something like four miles of cars, with over one thousand British makes represented.

"B" SPECIAL POLICE.

MAY BECOME AN ULSTER MILITIA.

Sir Basil S. Brooke, Bart., County Commandant, addressing the Enniskillen men of the "B" Specials on Tuesday night, said that Sir James Craig had said that the Fermanagh Specials on the occasion of the visit of the Lord Lieutenant had put up the best show in Ulster of the "B" men yet seen. In Sir Basil's own opinion, their turn out that day was a "thundering good show."

Continuing, he said that the patrol would not go on indefinitely. Either it would be off very soon or be much worse. Their drill might be arduous, but drill meant discipline, and in time the "B" Constabulary would form a militia force, ready drilled and trained, to resist any attack on their territory.

CITIZENS' COAL DEPOTS.

NEW POWERS SOUGHT BY BELFAST.

The Belfast Corporation has decided to promote an omnibus bill in the next session of the Northern Parliament, and it will be the first private bill of an important character to come before the Parliament from the city. It will be an omnibus bill not only because it will incidentally deal with the proposal of the Corporation to run omnibuses in connection with the tramway system, but because it will be a comprehensive measure carrying a number of different provisions for expanding municipal enterprise.

Some of the proposals are—to establish municipal depôts for the sale of coal; to regulate the sale of methylated spirits; to construct tramway extensions to the shipyards and other parts of the city; to extend Bellevue Gardens; to run motor 'buses to Bangor, Lisburn, Carrickfergus and Newtownards, and also on city routes not covered by tramcars; and to empower the Corporation to sell Smithfield Market site. Another proposal is to authorise the appointment of a Deputy Lord Mayor.

ORIEL HOUSE EXPLOSION.

COMMISSION OF INQUIRY UNNECESSARY.

In the Provisional Government yesterday, Mr. Darrel Figgis asked the President if he would appoint a special Commission of Inquiry into the smuggling of mines into Oriel House for the purpose of the explosion there on the night of Monday, 30th October, and, in view of similar occurrences before, if he would cause such Commission to extend its inquiries into the general question of the discipline of the armed forces of the State.

Mr. Cosgrave said that Oriel House was under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Home Affairs. With regard to the question of the Commission, he did not think that any useful purpose would be served by holding an inquiry into a matter of that sort. It was a military question, and he presumed that it would be dealt with by the military authorities.

Mr. O'Higgins (Minister of Home Affairs) said that there were no mines smuggled into Oriel House. The explanation of the occurrence seemed to be that a grating in the footpath was prised open and the mines let into the basement by sliding them down. There were four mines, only one of which exploded.

Had the four mines exploded there would have been very considerable damage to property and immense loss of life in that area. The Government was satisfied that it was not an occasion for a Commission such as was suggested. The resources at the disposal of the Government were sufficient to deal with it. He held the reports from Oriel House to the military. He thought it unnecessary, to read them to the House, but the Deputy could see them.

RELAXED CURFEW.

HALF-HOUR'S GRACE OUTSIDE BELFAST.

The Northern Government have decided to relax by half an hour the Curfew regulations for the area outside the County Borough of Belfast, within a radius of twelve miles of the Great Northern Railway terminus in Belfast. From the 4th inst. the new hours will be 11.30 p.m. till 5 a.m.

The whole district of Bangor, Co. Down (which is outside the area defined above), is also included in the Curfew hours. The towns affected are Lisburn, Carrickfergus, Holywood, Bangor, Newtownards, Comber, Saintfield, Hillsborough, Crumlin, and Ballyclare.

LETTER TO CORONER.

WOMAN "DISCUSSES" HER SUICIDE.

"Do not trouble to give me a Christian burial, but rather of your charity, do not bring anyone's name into this. One of your colleagues said that there were three reasons for suicide—love, insanity, and money. Mine is the last."

These remarkable sentences formed part of a letter addressed to the Paddington Coroner by Mrs. Katherine Batchelder, 40, who was found dead in a house in Portsdown road, Paddington, London, W. A gas tube lay near her mouth.

The letter, addressed to "Dear Mr. Coroner," found in her room, concluded, "After all, if I find the bed that I have made too hard to lie upon, it is no one's business but my own. My body can go to St. Mary's Hospital. If my cat is still alive, will you have him put away painlessly, please?"

A verdict of "suicide while of unsound mind" was recorded.

THROWN INTO A BOG.

ULSTER GIRL'S UNNERVING EXPERIENCE.

A girl named Mary Gillen, aged between 17 and 18 years, residing at Drumnakilly, while going home to her brother's house was set upon by two men, who were riding bicycles, and severely maltreated.

After some conversation they caught her and gagged her, tying her hands and feet with a cord. Then they carried her over a hedge and threw her into a bog.

She made several efforts to free herself, but failed until 5 o'clock next morning, when she succeeded in getting her hands and feet free. She then made her way to her brother's house, where she lies in a critical condition, suffering from shock and exposure. The Omagh police are investigating the occurrence.

ALLEGED ASSAULT WITH A PITCHFORK.

The Limerick Civic Guard on Tuesday night arrested a young farmer named Martin McNamara, of Derryfadda Clonlara, County Limerick, in connection with a serious assault committed on Michael Monaghan, of the same locality. Monaghan, it is stated, was struck with a pitchfork and rendered unconscious. His condition is critical.

SAILING SHIP SINKS.

FIGHT FOR LIFE IN ATLANTIC GALE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

QUEENSTOWN, Wednesday.

A wireless message received in Queenstown today reports one of many shipping casualties, which have been caused by the fierce gales which raged all over the Atlantic during the latter half of last month.

The Hamburg steamer Hugo Stinnes, of 5,677 tons, which left New Orleans on September 21 for Hamburg, sent out the radio to-day that the sailing ship St. Jacques has been abandoned in latitude 47.12, longitude 8.15, and that her crew was taken off by a passing steamer.

The St. Jacques, which is now a floating wreck, is sinking, with her main and mizen sails set.

The vessel experienced the full brunt of the easterly gales, and her crew underwent the greatest suffering, the rescuing vessel only arriving in time.

Several of the crew were utterly exhausted, and the decks were awash.

ILFORD MURDER CASE.

WOMAN'S EXTRAORDINARY LETTERS.

Extracts from further letters which are said to have been written by Mrs. Edith Thompson to Frederick Bywaters were read yesterday when they were again remanded on the Ilford murder charge. They included:—

"Darling,—How can you get ptomaine poisoning from a tin of salmon? One of our boy's mothers has died with it after being ill only three days."

"Darlingest, only lover of mine, try to cheer me up."

"Will you, please, take these letters back? I feel scared to death in case anybody else should read them."

"I am going with you wherever it is, and if it is to nowhere I am going also, darling."

When Mr. Lewis, the prosecuting counsel, first rose Mrs. Thompson seemed quite composed. She arranged the wide fur collar of her brown coat around her shoulder, stretched her silk-stockinged legs forward, crossed her white-gloved hands, and broodingly looked out through the high window opposite. But agitation intruded when Mr. Lewis quoted passages from the extraordinarily vivid letters which she had written to Bywaters during several months preceding her husband's death.

"After to-night I am going to die—not really, but put on the mask again darling, until the 25th of May."

While this was being read Mrs. Thompson hung her head, lifted it for a quick glance at the violet notepaper on which the words were written, then hung it again.

Newspaper cuttings found in the letters were referred to by Mr. Lewis. These included articles headed:—"Chicken Broth Death," "Rat Poison Consumed by Fowl Kills Woman," "Poisoned Chocolates for University Chief," "Deadly Poison Posted to Oxford Chancellor," "Holiday, then Death Pact," "Girl's Drug Injections," "Patient Killed by Drugs."

In agreeing to the remand, the Chairman of the magistrates said that he understood there were "grave reasons" why it should be granted.

SUPPLIES FOR DUBLIN.

RECOMMENDATIONS BY CITY COMMITTEE.

The following paragraphs appear in the report of the Housing, Workshops, and Supplies Committee, to be submitted at next Monday's meeting of the Dublin Corporation:—

"At the beginning of the year we decided to defer advertising for contracts for general supplies, being of opinion that the market fluctuations rendered it undesirable for the Corporation to enter into contracts. Having recently reviewed the situation, however, we considered it advisable to arrange contracts for six months from the 1st October next, and accordingly advertised for tenders.

"Having had the tenders received carefully analysed, we decided to recommend the acceptance of the lowest, exception being made in the cases of iron pails, stone-ware pipes, and disinfecting fluids. In cases where there is equality of price for the Irish and foreign manufactured articles, preference is given to the former.

"No formal tender was received for the various classes of tar specified, but a letter was read by us from the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company, quoting prices for the supply of gas tar requirements. The City Engineer advises the acceptance of the prices of this company."

Although invited, tenders were not received for fill-posting, purchase of old building materials, or the removal of waste paper.

"On the advice of the management of the Municipal Workshops, tenders were not invited for the supply of timber for the period in question. We were informed that prices in the timber trade are controlled at present, and that no advantage can be gained by seeking tenders.

"We again brought under the notice of Messrs. Dollard the necessity for a revision in the percentage charged on the stationery and printing contract, and that firm agreed to reduce the percentage by 2½, from 17½ per cent. to 15 per cent., if the contract was continued for six months from the 1st October. We have consented to this arrangement, so as to allow time for a complete revision of the specification, for which there is a great necessity.

"We invited proposals from stationery experts to carry out the revision, and accepted that submitted by Mr. Joseph F. Daly for the sum of £45, which was the lowest received. We have instructed the Town Clerk to have the revision taken in hands at once."

The tender of Peter Murray, 11 Shelbourne road, to supply milk to the Tuberculosis Hospital, Pigeon House road, for six months, at 1s. 9d. per gallon, was recommended for acceptance. The only other tender received was that of Messrs. Kavanagh and Sons, 91 Harcourt street, at 1s. 9½d. per gallon.

MORE HEAVY CLAIMS.

TIPPERARY'S GROWING BURDEN.

Claims for damage to property in County Tipperary alone, amounting to over £75,000, were lodged with the Provisional Government yesterday. Details:—

Sarah E. L. Twiss, Birdhill House, Birdhill—damage to property	£40,000
Robert J. O. Otway Ruthven, of Castle Otway, Templederry—destruction of property	25,000
Robert J. O. Otway Ruthven, Castle Otway, Templederry—damage to property	5,000
Lord Dunalley, Kilboy, Nenagh—destruction of property (five claims)	4,100
General H. C. Holmes, St. David's, Nenagh—Kenyon street Barracks destroyed	500
Charles C. Webb, Kilmore, Nenagh—damage to property	250
The Nenagh Gas and Electricity Supply Co., Ltd., Nenagh—damage to property	256
Alice I. Carroll, Maud R. Angas, and Florence K. Scott, Lissenhall, Nenagh—destruction of property	250
Co. Armagh.	
George Mitchell, Culrevoy, Moy, Co. Armagh—compensation for death of brother	1,000
Co. Clare.	
The Bishop of Killaloe, the Rev. R. Twiss MacLauren, John O'Neill, and William Mooney—damage to property	1,100
Co. Cork.	
J. R. Cross, South Mall, Cork—motor car and bicycle taken	1,710
Co. Dublin.	
Samuel Kelly and T. H. Spence, Esker, Kilmainham, Dublin—property destroyed	4,666
Michael Dalton, 37 Bride street, Dublin—loss sustained	262
King's County.	
Lady Emily A. J. H. Bury, Ernest de S. H. Browne, and William Rochford, Brookfield, Tullamore—damage to property	825
Samuel Rose, Kilduff, Philipstown—farm seized	500
Frederick A. Drought, Ridgemount House, Kilcormac—damage to property	230
Lady Emily A. J. Howard-Bury, Brookfield, Demesne, Tullamore—damage to property	225
Co. Westmeath.	
Capt. E. J. M. Briscoe, Riverdale, Killucan, Westmeath—damage to property	500

The British Petroleum Company, Limited, claim £262 for various losses.

AN ELECTION SLANDER SUIT.

The Press Association is informed by Messrs. Lewis and Lewis that, acting for Mr. Oswald Mosley, they have issued writs against Major Ward-Jackson and his agent, Mr. E. P. Bradley, claiming damages for slander in respect of statements made at meetings held in the constituency.

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G.B.S.'S RECIPE FOR SUICIDE.

INSTRUCTIONS NOBODY CARRIES OUT.

ETHICS OF THE DEATH PACT DISCUSSED.

Mr. Bernard Shaw in an interview in London yesterday dealt in typical fashion with the law relating to the survivor in a death pact.

The question has received considerable attention in the last few days owing to the fact that a large number of well-known people, including Mr. Bernard Shaw himself, have signed a petition to the Home Secretary for clemency in the case of Mrs. Maud Hibbert, recently sentenced to nine months' hard labour, for attempted suicide with her brother-in-law, who died.

Further attention has been called to the question by Mr. Justice Lush's remark in the Mablethorpe case concerning two Nottingham girls, in which he stated that it would be advisable to revise the law, which says that where two persons agree to die together each should be considered guilty of the murder of the other.

Mr. Shaw, however, would only deal with the whole thing as a kind of logical *impasse*.

"Suicide is a sort of general checkmate," he said. "If you really mean it, nobody can do anything to you, because you are doing the worst thing that you can do to yourself.

"It may be said that if you attempt to commit suicide and do not succeed, you immediately come under the suspicion of having attempted to make yourself interesting, and in those circumstances I think the proper way to deal with anybody would be to insist on their going through with it.

"Personally, I have always found that when any of my friends propose to commit suicide, and I took great care to explain to them exactly how to do it—I have an excellent recipe for poisoning—I always found that the result was that they gave up the idea.

"They did not seem to appreciate my instructions."

THE LONELY FURROW.

ANTI-WASTE M.P. AND HIS VOTES.

The libel action which has been brought by Mr. James Malcolm Monteith Erskine, of Eccleston square, Westminster, was continued yesterday before the Lord Chief Justice and a special jury in London.

Speaking of the St. George's, Hanover square, Conservative Association, Mr. Erskine, in his examination by his counsel, Sir Hugh Fraser, said that it had no habitat in that constituency until an office was opened in charge of Mr. Tydeman, who was now acting as Colonel Wilson's agent. Politics had been dead in the constituency for a number of years, and the Association consequently had very few members, and existed in name rather than in fact.

Questioned about an allegation made in a pamphlet headed, "What a Waste," that he had neglected his Parliamentary duties, Mr. Erskine said that there was no more regular attendant at the House than himself, but, as he ploughed a lonely furrow, he had no Whip to tell him which was the "aye" lobby and which the "no."

The Lord Chief Justice—Had you any doubt about that?

Mr. Erskine—It requires a little time to get to know one's way about in Parliament.

Mr. Erskine added that he frequently voted for the Government. He was an independent member, and it was his duty to vote for the Government when it was right and against it when it was wrong.

The case was adjourned.

TITANIA'S PALACE.

MARVELLOUS DOLL'S HOUSE TO GO TO AMERICA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Wednesday.

Many people have supposed that Titania's Palace, the marvellous doll's house, being prepared by Sir Neville Wilkinson, was to be presented to the Queen, but it seems that this is a mistake.

The Queen is taking a very keen interest in the palace, and formally opened it and wrote her name in the tiny visitors' book, which measures one and a half inches square.

The object of the palace, however, is to stimulate interest in an original and widespread philanthropic movement, and after being on exhibition shortly in Bond street, the palace is to pay a visit to the provinces, before going to the United States.

AN OLD BELFAST MARKET.

TRADERS' APPEAL TO CITY COUNCIL.

A deputation appeared before the Belfast City Council yesterday in the interest of the occupiers of Smithfield market.

Mr. Hall, the first of the speakers, remarked that Smithfield market was not alone a very old landmark, but was one of the most unique places in the United Kingdom. The tenants they viewed with concern the rumour that the Council were about to dispose of the market. If this was to be done for public purposes they would have no objection, but if it was to be sold to a private syndicate then they offered a protest, believing, as they did, that the existing tenants were entitled to prior consideration.

The Lord Mayor assured the deputation that no project had been definitely decided upon as regards the sale of the market, and that the tenants might carry on their business as they had done in the past.

The minutes of the Markets Committee contained the following resolution:—"That it be a recommendation to the Council to take powers in the Corporation Bill about to be promoted to enable them to demise or grant in fee-farm or otherwise dispose of or appropriate for other Corporation purposes all or any part of the site of the Smithfield Markets at any time the Corporation should resolve to do so."

Councillor Oswald Jamison moved an amendment to delete this resolution, and Alderman M'Kernan seconded.

Councillor Magowan explained that there was no intention to dispossess the tenants.

Councillor Jamison—It is a deliberate plot to dispose of the market.

Councillor Magowan repudiated this suggestion, and eventually the amendment was lost, and the resolution carried.

THE ST. JOHN AMBULANCE.

RECENT SERVICES TO THE CITIZENS.

Councillor P. T. Daly will move at Monday's meeting of the Dublin Corporation—"That Council desires to tender its best thanks to the members of the St. John Ambulance Corps for their heroic efforts to save human life and protect the citizens' interests during the recent war in Dublin; and hereby directs that the Government be requested to introduce legislation whereby the St. John Ambulance Corps may be included in next year's estimates for a grant of £300, and such sum be granted annually, as a small tribute of appreciation of their services to all classes from the Dublin Corporation."

NEW FIRE BRIGADE FUND.

Mr. Daly also has tabled for Monday's meeting a resolution, recording keen appreciation of the heroic efforts of the Dublin Fire Brigade "to save human life and protect the citizens' interests during the recent war in Dublin," and directing that, as a permanent recognition, a scheme be prepared for the establishment of a fund to be called "The Dublin Fire Brigademen's Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund."

A FORESHORE DUMP.

BOAT CLUB'S COMPLAINT.

The Seapoint Boat Club wrote to the Blackrock Urban Council last night to say that several members had called attention in the strongest terms to the state of the foreshore at Seapoint, and forwarding a resolution of the club at their annual meeting. The club directed the secretary to ask the authorities to bring about an immediate cleansing of the foreshore between Salthill and the Martello Tower, and prevent a recurrence of the nuisance. The resolution said that "the cause of this nuisance is due to the fact that large quantities of the most offensive class of rubbish are deposited at the back of the West Pier, Dun Laoghaire, and as no proper provision, in the shape of a retaining wall, has been provided by the authorities every tide carries large quantities of rubbish from the dumping ground and deposits it along the foreshore at Seapoint."

The Chairman said that this was a serious matter, and something should be done.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

General Inference.—In the rear of the depression which affected these islands on Wednesday, moderating north-westerly winds are likely, with improving weather. Temperature will, however, be low, and some showers of rain or hail are probable in places in the South, and showers of snow or hail in the North.

Ireland.—Fresh north-west winds, moderating; variable cloud; local rain or hail showers; visibility good; cold.

S.W. Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to S.W. Ireland, Irish Sea and St. George's Channel, N.W. Seaboard, N. Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind north-westerly, strong at first, moderating; variable cloud; local showers; visibility good; sea moderating.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 15 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day ..Morning 10 1 | Evening 10.18
To-morrow ..... 10.33 ..... 10.48

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day ..... Rises 7.25 | Sets 4.55
To-morrow ..... ,, 7.27 | ,, ... 4.51
LIGHTING UP TIME ..... 5.53 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Gaiety Theatre—"Whirled into Happiness," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Arrah-na-Pogue," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Aftermath," 8.15 p.m.
Empire Theatre—6.45 nd 8.45.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—Continuous, 3 to 10.30 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—Pictures, continuous.
Grand Central Cinema—Continuous.
The Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Bohemian—Pictures, continuous.
The Carlton—Pictures, continuous.
The Sackville—Pictures, continuous.
Corinthian—Pictures, continuous.
Masterpiece—Pictures, continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, continuous.
R.D.S. Council Meeting—3 p.m.
Royal Irish Academy Concert—4 p.m.
University Philosophical Society Meeting 8 p.m.
Port and Docks Board Meeting—1 p.m.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Attempts were made to set fire to income tax offices in various parts of Dublin yesterday. Armed men visited the buildings, and, "holding up" the staff, sprinkled papers and files with petrol and lighted them, afterwards making good their escape.—(P. 7.)

In the Provisional Parliament yesterday Mr. Cosgrave outlined the steps that will be taken to hasten the hearing of claims in respect of damage done to property since July, 1921. In all cases there will be a rebuilding condition.—(P. 7.)

Bombs were thrown at national troops in Cork yesterday. Two officers were wounded by fragments of one of the bombs.—(P. 9.)

Republicans have banned the use of motor cars in the Dungarvan district of County Waterford.—(P. 9.)

Mr. Chamberlain made an important statement to the Ulster delegation in England on the boundary question.—(P. 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The list of candidates for the general election is now regarded as complete.—(P. 8.)

ABROAD.

Members of the German Government on the Reparations Commission have held preliminary meetings. The important conference opens to-day.—(P. 7.)

The Sultan of Turkey has been dethroned by the National Assembly at Angora, which has declared the Ottoman Empire to be at an end and the foundation of the "State of Turkey."—(P. 7.)

Our Correspondent telegraphs a graphic account of the horrors of a Macedonian refugees' camp, where thousands who fled from the Turkish vengeance in Anatolia are starving and disease-ridden.—(P. 8.)

There is every indication that Italy is returning to normal courses and that Signor Mussolini's Cabinet is getting to grips with the problems of government.—(P. 7.)

The Allies have submitted to Germany the five conditions under which they will remove the Military Commission from the country.—(P. 7.)

SPORTING.

At the Curragh yesterday the Millicent Plate was won by Mr. C. F. Kenyon's Mermaid, and the Scurry Plate by Mr. J. McAuley's Grave Fairy.—(P. 4.)

At Windsor Treviso won the Clarence Three-Year-Old Handicap Plate.—(P. 4.)

The Bill of Costs.

Yesterday the Provisional Parliament empowered the Government to attack the compensation problem in advance of legislation. President Cosgrave's statement furnished excellent reasons for this course. While it is certain that some claims are extravagant, hundreds are perfectly honest, and many claimants are in dire and urgent distress. The State must make every effort to relieve them at the first possible moment; but the relief must be sanctioned by law, and the present Parliament will have no title to make laws until the Constitution has been ratified at Westminster. The resolution which was passed yesterday, however, enables the Government to save time by getting to work immediately on the machinery of compensation. Mr. Cosgrave gave a clear sketch of its plans, which encourage us to hope that from the beginning of next year the process of adjudication will be swift and smooth. A single tribunal could not grapple with the immense task of dealing with post-Truce claims that amount already to a total of some thirty millions. The Government proposes to submit them to a large number of tribunals—namely, the County Courts—which will work simultaneously throughout the Free State. Particulars of claims against counties will be put immediately in the hands of the several Councils for submission to their legal advisers, and in every county the Minister of Finance will be represented by a special solicitor. The basis of assessment is being settled and will be embodied in legislation as soon as legislation becomes possible. These arrangements ought to effect such a clearing of the ground as will simplify and expedite enormously the work of the County Courts. Mr. Cosgrave was able to announce that the awards of Lord Shaw's Commission are ceasing to be, like angels' visits, few and far between. The Commission, having broken the back of its formidable task, has issued 113 awards during the last few days, and advertisements, preliminary to payment, will be published immediately. Mr. Thomas Johnson asked Parliament to extend the principle of compensation to persons who had suffered unemployment or other loss consequent to the widespread destruction of property; but his proposal was defeated by a large majority. Its acceptance would have meant national bankruptcy; for the operation of the principle could not have been limited to the working—or striking—classes. There is hardly a professional or business man in Southern Ireland whose pocket has not been hit by the insensate campaign of ruin. In any case, the working classes will derive substantial compensation from the rebuilding condition which the Government intends to impose on awards for the destruction of property. This wise and just decision will keep large sums in the country, will guarantee reconstruction on a great scale, and, by creating employment, will make a valuable contribution to the nation's peace.

Young Italy.

One of the most remarkable revolutions in history has come to an end. Fewer than fifty people were killed throughout Italy, while the number of wounded is reported to be under one hundred. As soon as the King refused to sign Signor Facta's proclamation of martial law the Communist Party threw up the sponge. All the Socialist and Bolshevist newspapers put up their shutters, and most of the Radical members of Parliament decided to resign their seats. The task to which Signor Mussolini has set himself, therefore, has been made considerably easier, but a difficult and trying ordeal awaits him. The new Premier is one of the most romantic figures in Europe. Son of a blacksmith in Romagna, Benito Mussolini has run the gamut of life's adventures. He began life as a stone mason's apprentice, and has been a fiddler, a fencer, a newspaper editor, a Socialist agitator and a private soldier in his time. Now he is the real head of the Italian State, and, while he has little or no experience of high politics, he has boundless energy combined with an almost fanatical patriotism and sense of national duty. Already an excellent start has been made. Signor Mussolini's first move was to send inspectors to all the Government offices in Rome at eight o'clock in the morning, with instructions to reprimand every civil servant who was not punctually at his post.

The new Premier's choice of colleagues is distinctly encouraging. Naturally enough, the Fascist element predominates, but he has invited the help of representatives of the Democratic, Nationalist, Liberal and Popular parties. General Diaz is his War Minister, while the Navy has been entrusted to the care of Admiral Thaon di Revel, Italy's most famous sailor. The new Ministers represent every element in Italian life, except the purely Socialist element, and Signor Mussolini is not without hope of securing the co-operation even of his late enemies. It is far too soon to judge the effect which this great change will have on Italian affairs. Italy needed new blood. Her various Governments since the war have been weak and invertebrate. Circumstances were against them, no doubt; but they lacked confidence in themselves, and, above all, the people had no confidence in them. In this respect Signor Mussolini has an enormous advantage over his predecessors in office. The movement of which he is the head is full of the self-confidence of youth. It is prepared to take any and every risk. Nothing is too difficult to be attempted. No personal sacrifice is too great for "the cause." He has been borne to office on the crest of a great wave of popular feeling. No Italian since the *Risorgimento* has had Signor Mussolini's opportunity. Italy is his for the making.

Much has been said about the foreign policy of Fascismo, and fears have been expressed that Signor Mussolini will make serious trouble with Great Britain. It is true that during his activity as editor of the *Popolo d'Italia* he wrote many fiery articles in which anti-British feelings were expressed; but one of his first acts after his reception by the King was to send a message of friendly greeting to Mr. Bonar Law. The first test of Signor Mussolini's foreign policy will arise in connection with Dalmatia. He never has concealed his dislike of the Treaty of Rapallo, which put a temporary end to the Fiume problem, and it is quite possible that he will take the earliest opportunity of re-opening the whole question. He will have something to say also at the Near Eastern Conference, which will be held at Lausanne—a town in which Signor Mussolini worked as a stone mason—while he is reported to be extremely anxious to come to a definite understanding with France in regard to Tunis. For the next few months, however, he will have plenty to occupy his attention at home, and very probably will complete the setting of his own house in order before he turns his mind to foreign affairs. One of the aims which Mr. Bonar Law outlined in his speech at Glasgow was the improvement of Britain's relations with her Italian Ally. In view of Signor Mussolini's telegram, no time ought to be lost in its achievement.

Diet and Digestion.

Our grandfathers fought hard against dieting, deeming it rather a man's duty to stand up to his stomach when it strove to play the tyrant. Nowadays we succumb to the monster almost before we have felt a twinge. A doctor or hygienist—which is simply a trade name for a doctor talking English—always can get a hearing when he lectures about food. We report elsewhere the remarks of Dr. Leonard Williams on "Women's Work and Diet," at the Institute of Hygiene in London. There is no doubt, he says, that most of us eat too much. Women do not over-eat habitually, because vanity prevents them; but they over-feed their husbands and children. Overwhelming statistics can be produced, however, to show that the heavy eaters among the nations are the heavy producers, physically and intellectually, that they are happier, live longer, die more comfortably and make better provision for their families. Consider, on the other hand, the American type. It has dyspepsia at twenty, stuffs itself with grape-nuts and bromide, spends all its days in hunting for new jobs and new cures for indigestion, and dies, worn out, at forty-five. The American treats his stomach as a slave instead of an equal—as a nuisance, and not as a companion. The favourite motto of the Greek philosophers was, "Know thyself." The modern philosopher's is, "Know thy stomach"—not as a doctor knows it, but as a friend knows his friend. There are just two things that no self-respecting stomach will stand. One is to be hurried away to the office when it wants to repose comfortably in an armchair. The other is to be told to stop thinking about beefsteak pie and to think in terms of vitamins.

Christmas Toys.

During September Germany imported toys into England to the value of nearly eleven thousand pounds in excess of the value of those delivered in August. These toys, of course, are intended for the Christmas trade. Toy-making requires a temperament which the British never will possess. The Germans are good toy-makers because they are, in many ways, children themselves. Most of their toys, moreover, are made by children in an atmosphere in which few British factory children have the chance to live. The only possible competitors in the industry are the Japanese. There, too, the neatness, cleanliness, industry and artistic environment of the villages and a certain unsophistication of the people permit the toy spirit to be preserved. There was formerly one toy industry in which the British excelled—the manufacture of toy boats. Even to-day the toy and model yachts sold in the London shops cannot be beaten by any nation, except, perhaps, by the Finns. Few of them, however, are made and rigged with the pride and skill that once were lavished by the old salts on a boat which would cost as many shillings as the factory-made articles cost pounds.

LORD CHAPLIN'S ILLNESS.

"A SEVERE OPERATION."

The following bulletin was issued yesterday concerning Lord Chaplin who has been staying with his daughter, Lady Londonderry, at Londonderry House, Park lane, London:—

Lord Chaplin underwent a severe operation this morning, and is at present going on very satisfactorily.

(Signed)
J. P. LOCKART MUMERY, F.R.C.S.
H. HOLMES ORR.

Lord Chaplin is 82. It will be recalled that he presented himself at the historic meeting at the Carlton Club, but was refused admission. It was then noticed that on arrival at the Club it was only with difficulty that he was able to walk up the steps of the building.

OBITUARY.

MR. THOMAS N. PAGE.

The death is announced, at Richmond, Virginia, of Mr. Thomas Nelson Page, a former United States Ambassador to Italy and the author of many well-known books.

MR. PATRICK FINN.

Mr. Patrick Finn, of the Station Hotel, Seaham, died suddenly on Sunday last. A native of Carrickmacross, he went to the North of England over half a century ago, and, after a brief stay at Murton, settled down at Seaham Harbour. He was one of the best-known licensed victuallers in South-East Durham, and was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends. He took a keen interest in public affairs, and was for a time a member of the Seaham Harbour Urban District Council and of the Easington Board of Guardians.

LENIN COMES BACK.

DRAMATIC SCENE IN THRONE ROOM.

BY GEORGE SELDES.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

MOSCOW, Wednesday.

It is the Throne Room of the Tsars in the Kremlin, of Moscow. It is full of tables, chairs, and benches, and, on the platform before the sounding-board, which hides the throne of the Romanoffs, stands Krylenko, once Chief of the dread Supreme Tribunal of the Revolution.

Now he is speaking of a change in the Code laws. His listeners are three hundred men from every part of Russia, many in fur hats and peasant boots—members of the All Russian Central Executive Committee.

It is a dull legal speech. There is a buzzing of whispers. One man yawns, then another. Suddenly there is a stir at the door. The two soldiers stationed there stiffen. They have been told to be especially careful to-day. They don't know why, but they do their duty.

A little man in a black coat, looking very much like a sleek business man, presents his red card. The soldiers examine the card, and glance up, awe-stricken. The little man in the black coat is Lenin.

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It is his first public appearance as Chief of the Soviet since his sickness and retirement eight months ago. A short, rather stout, figure, hatless, head mostly bald, face set in a smile, his little eyes twinkling, he tip-toes along the outer aisle, passes the Press table and goes toward the platform. He is as yet unrecognised.

Krylenko continues to speak. Lenin puts his foot on the two first steps of the platform. Instantly there is an uproar.

The Convention is taken by surprise. It arises. Applause fills the Throne Room. The session is broken. But only for 35 seconds.

While Lenin is still shaking hands with Kalinin and other Executives, Krylenko resumes his legal debate. Thus passed rather quickly and unimpressively an event which Russians believe will go down as a great historical moment in their history.

Kalinin announces Lenin. There is another twenty seconds applause, and Lenin steps to the Speaker's table.

Above him, high on the wall, is the Masonic sign: "The Eye of God," in gold, which looked down upon the dynasty of the Tsars.

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Lenin addresses the Congress, and, with fire and gesture, begins his speech.

He is dressed in a cheap grey-black, badly-fitting suit, cut like a uniform, which seems made of shoddy, although the crease in the trousers is kept. He wears a high collar, unbuttoned at the throat, revealing a white collar underneath, with loose blue neck-tie.

"Comrades," says Lenin, "I greet you, but your first greetings must be to the Red Army, which has just regained for us an outlet to the Pacific by taking Vladivostock. This is, I hope, the termination of all Russia's warfare. It has thrown into the sea the last White Guards."

Vital and energetic as Lenin looked, his voice was disappointing. There is nothing of the spell-binder or silver-tongued orator, or even the personality of a backwoods' American Congressman.

His words come thick, not clearly enunciated; sometimes even traces of a lisp.

But his small eyes beamed continually, and the index fingers of both hands poked points at his audience.

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"Don't praise the Army too much," Lenin continued; "don't be over-confident. We were greatly helped in the Far East by our diplomacy. You know that Japan and the United States signed an agreement to support Kolchack. It was due to our diplomacy that the agreement had no effect, and even Japan, with all her forces, was forced to withdraw and give up the undertaking.

"I hope our diplomacy will do as well regarding the Near Eastern question, which is coming up at Lausanne. I hope even that if Russia does not participate, we shall be able to make a stand there, and show the masses where the cause of the trouble lies and who is responsible.

"Now to turn to home affairs. Among the countries Russia is the poorest, the least cultured, its industries the least developed. This is very unpleasant, but we are not afraid to mention it openly. That is why it is so easy to concentrate upon the cure.

"I claim that we are doing more to better conditions than any country in the world, and we will reach a high level with such swiftness as no country can imagine."

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Lenin declared that no one now favoured swift fantastic changes, as in the early days of the revolution, but predicted real progress, surpassing anything dreamed of.

Lenin attacked the present Russian bureaucracy. He drew only a laugh when he related that after four years' cutting, the Government employment staff at the census showed an increase of 12,000.

The speech concluded, Kalinin announced an intermission.

Everyone flocked to a room near-by where a photographer appeared. The picture that was taken was remarkable. It was like a country picnic—Lenin, Kalinin, Zinoviev, Kamenev, and members of the Cabinet, delegates, correspondents, all jostling, crowding good-humouredly into one, a big hodgepodge of Russian rulers, peasants, boots, uniforms, sweaty fur caps patched clothes, shouts, laughter, with no more order than a wake.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Cyril of Russia have spent the autumn at their country seat in the Department of Ille-et-Vilaine, but will leave for Cannes in a couple of days. The Earl and Countess of Mar are settled for the winter at their beautiful residence, Villa Indiana, Monte Carlo, where already quite a number of English visitors has arrived.

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The Marchioness of Londonderry left Mount Stewart at the beginning of the week for Londonderry House, London, where her father, Viscount Chaplin, has been laid up for the past ten days. The Marquis and Marchioness of Sligo, who are going on a tour round the world, will leave England on the 12th of next month. Their son, Lord Altamont, is now on his way to join his regiment in India. The Duke and Duchess of Abercorn have arrived in London from Baron's Court. Sir Bryan and Lady Mahon are expected to return shortly to Mullaboden, County Kildare, for the winter.

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Lord Cloncurry, fourth Baron on the Irish Roll and third on that of the United Kingdom, is 82 to-day. A baronetcy was conferred in 1776 on Nicholas Lawless, M.P. for Lifford, who was subsequently elevated to the peerage in 1789. The heir-presumptive to the title is Captain the Hon. Edward Lawless, brother of the present peer, who is a widower with two daughters.

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Lord and Lady Glanusk have left London for Jamaica, where they will spend the winter months. Lady Guillemard, accompanied by her sister, Miss Walker, will leave Southampton to-day to join her husband, Sir Lawrence Guillemard, Governor of the Straits Settlement, at Government House, Singapore.

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Lady Patricia Blackwood, who was one of the bridesmaids at the marriage of her sister, Lady Doris, to Captain Gunston a fortnight ago, left England yesterday for New Zealand, to stay with her cousin, the Hon. Mrs. Tom Rhodes, who is a daughter of the late Lord Plunket and Lady Victoria Braithwaite.

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Sir West Ridgeway has been laid up with an attack of bronchial pneumonia, but is now progressing towards recovery. Lord Latymer continues to improve; and satisfactory bulletins have been issued respecting Sir Douglas Hall and Sir William Treloar.

Switzers are offering wide Ribbons of exceptional beauty of design at 2s. 11d. per yard.—Grafton street.

New Millinery, New Wrap Coats, New Dinner and Dance Frocks, Furs, and Gloves—At Holmes', Grocer's street.

Fur-trimmed Costumes and Wraps in Seasonable Colourings.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., Ladies' Tailors, 11 Wicklow street.

Salthill Hotel, Monkstown—Now quoting special Autumn and Winter terms.

French Model Dresses, Coats, and Costumes, winter wear, on view.—McAsey, 53 Dawson st.

Smart Tailor-made Costumes, Fur-trimmed Overcoats in New Materials. Moderate prices.—Mumford, Suffolk street, Dublin.

Warm Wrap Coats from 8 guineas at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

ARRIVALS AT KINGSTOWN BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—Miss Rose Kirwan, Miss Comyn Kenny, W. Cruice Goodall,

COMPENSATION CASES.

GOVERNMENT'S PLANS FOR A SPEEDY HEARING.

REBUILDING OBLIGATORY.

LABOUR MEMBERS PRESS CLAIMS OF UNEMPLOYMENT.

Two important resolutions were adopted by the Provisional Parliament yesterday. The first prescribes the rules for the election of thirty members of the Senate by the members of the Dail. Nomination papers will be available from to-day until the day when the Free State's Constitution shall come into force.

COST OF DESTRUCTION.

The second resolution deals with the steps that must be taken in order that claims for compensation in respect of damage to property inflicted since the 11th July, 1921, shall be determined "with such expedition as is compatible with a just measure of relief to the sufferers."

Mr. Cosgrave revealed the broad outline of the Government's plans. Pending the legislation which must be passed, the claims will be collected and classified, and representatives of the Minister of Finance will examine them. The forms on which the claims must be made will be obtainable at County Councils' offices.

The claims will be heard by the County Court Judges, and in every county there will be a solicitor for the Ministry of Finance and a staff of investigators. Thus, the claims will be heard more quickly than they could be heard by such a body as Lord Shaw's Commission

REBUILDING CONDITION.

There has been much speculation about the terms upon which compensation will be granted. Apparently the Government has decided that the successful claimants will not be at liberty to leave the country studded with ruins.

"In the awards," said Mr. Cosgrave, "there will be a rebuilding condition."

The Labour members pressed for compensation to the men who have been thrown out of work by the destruction of property, but the House would not accept an amendment under which they could lodge claims.

Mr. Cosgrave pointed out that large sums had been voted for the relief of unemployment, and that the national purse would not be equal to a large batch of additional claims. For the present year alone the revenue was £13,000,000 below the expenditure.

THE INVESTIGATION OF CLAIMS.

The President moved the following resolution: "That, inasmuch as some time must elapse before the coming into operation of the legislation which must be passed by the Oireachtas of Saorstat Eireann for giving effect to the resolution of this Dail of the 22nd day of September, 1922, but it is the desire of this Dail that the claims for compensation in respect of damage to, or destruction of, property inflicted since the 11th day of July, 1921, should be heard and determined with such expedition as is compatible with a just measure of relief to the sufferers.

"This Dail is of opinion, and hereby instructs the Ministry, that, pending such legislation as aforesaid, all such preliminary steps as would necessarily or properly be taken by the Minister of Finance (were such legislation as aforesaid already in operation) with a view to a speedy hearing and determination of the said claims, should, so far as possible, be taken without delay, and particularly that all proper arrangements be made for receiving, classifying, and registering the said claims in such forms and subject to such relevant inquiries as may be prescribed by the Minister of Finance, and that all such claims shall be examined under the authority of the Minister of Finance with such legal and expert advice as he may think expedient and information and evidence relevant thereto collected by him, so that the hearing and adjudication of the said claims (when the same may be lawfully commenced) shall be prosecuted with the utmost expedition."

PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT.

Speaking in support of the motion, Mr. Cosgrave said that on the 22nd September the Dail passed a resolution approving of the principle that while a proportion of the compensation which would be recoverable in respect of damage to or destruction of property inflicted since July 11th, 1921, being the date of the truce between the forces of Great Britain and Ireland, should, under approved conditions, be borne as a national liability, nevertheless a date should be determined as from which such liability should remain wholly a burden of the local authorities now primarily responsible for the same.

In order that the general arrangements contemplated by this resolution, under which compensation would be given in cases of post-true damage to or destruction of property, might be carried into effect, it would be necessary for the Oireachtas of Saorstat Eireann to pass legislation in due course.

It was, however, he believed, agreed on all sides that it would be very undesirable to do nothing, pending such legislation, in the way of making the necessary advance preparations for having awards speedily determined and discharged when the proper time arrived.

In a matter such as this the mere work of ascertaining the particulars of claims and examining them with reference to the conditions which must govern eventual awards was extremely laborious, and there was a great deal to be gained by proceeding at once with the completion of this preliminary task in a manner which would not prejudice final awards.

FORM OF CLAIM.

Under the present resolution it was proposed immediately to make a prescribed form of claim available on application to offices of the County Councils, on which all persons claiming compensation in respect of post-true property damage would be required to set forth all relevant particulars under such heads as would facilitate speedy examination when the matter came before the County Court. These forms should be available in a few days' time.

In view of the heavy financial liability which it was proposed that the State should undertake in this matter, it was intended that on the hearing of claims a special solicitor for every county should be entitled to appear on behalf of the Minister of Finance. All claims received on the prescribed form would be made immediately available to this solicitor and such expert staff as it might be necessary to place at his disposal, so that they might have an opportunity of making adequate investigation into all the facts before the matters came into court.

Claims on the prescribed form would also be directed to be sent to local authorities and to County Councils, so that their solicitors and officers might also have full opportunity of investigation. The solicitors acting for the Government would, it was hoped and believed, act throughout with the fullest harmony and co-operation with the officers of local bodies, and in such a manner as to secure that the best possible local information was always available for checking claims.

TWO MAIN QUESTIONS.

It was the view of the Government that by proceeding in this manner they were making the most effective arrangement that was reasonably practicable for expediting the settlement of this important problem, and relieving the natural anxiety of sufferers throughout the country.

There were two main sides to this question—namely, as regards the machinery to be employed for assessing compensation, and as regards the basis on which the assessment should be made. He was not at present dealing with the question of the basis, but he might say that the several points arising in this connection had been fully explored, and that preparations in this respect were well advanced for embodying their proposals in the legislation to which he had referred.

The question of machinery was practically settled by the present resolution, taken in conjunction with the fact that the claims would be heard by County Courts, probably early in January. The fact that in the County Courts they would have a large number of tribunals working simultaneously on uniform lines in this matter should secure that the compensation was made available much more rapidly than if they were to set up a special commission or tribunal for the purpose. The spreading of the preliminary work of investigation among bodies of officers working in the several counties was an important factor in this.

In the case of the Shaw Commission, it had been found by experience that the enormous volume of claims had itself constituted a big problem in the merely mechanical sense, quite apart from the labour of determining awards. It was largely on this account that it was only now, after several months' work, that the awards of this Commission had begun to come in on any considerable number.

It would be remembered that when making a financial statement in the Dail on the 6th of last month he indicated that, with improved procedure, the number of awards of the Commission was on the point of expanding rapidly. As an indication of this, he was now glad to be able to inform the Dail that within the last few days they had received from the Commission notification of a large batch of one hundred and thirteen awards, and that the advertisements, preliminary to payment in these cases, were being published at once.

He might say also that satisfactory progress was now being made in disposing of defended pre-Truce claims for property damaged, and that eighty-nine of such claims were advertised for payment on the 18th of last month.

He thought that the amount involved in connection with 213 cases would be somewhere in the neighbourhood of £300,000. What they had already advanced in other cases something in the neighbourhood of £500,000, so that they were rapidly mounting up towards one million in connection with the amounts of money that they had made available in these cases. He moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. P. Hughes seconded the motion.

LABOUR AMENDMENT.

Mr. Johnson moved as an amendment that after the words "July, 1922," the words be inserted "or for loss of employment upon such destruction or damage."

Mr. Lyons seconded the amendment. The workers, he said, should be taken into consideration as well as the employers. It was hoped that the Minister would accept the amendment.

Alderman Byrne urged the advisability of advancing at least 10 per cent. of the amounts claimed to claimants who wished to re-build at once. He understood that there was no assurance that they would get the slightest advance until such time as the Commission had sent in their final report. They should also see that no owner of destroyed property got an award without a definite guarantee to rebuild.

The President said that legislation would have to be passed in regard to that matter. While he was not opposed to any extension of the principle laid down, he was not in a position to assure the Dail that the country would be able to stand the enormous amounts claimed by reason of this destruction.

Unemployment had been under consideration by them, and he was informed by people whom he had consulted that a very considerable sum of money was made available for unemployment. They had made available for local authorities £275,000, and had advanced £100,000 for the relief of distress on the Western seaboard. They had put by £1,000,000 for housing.

EXTRAVAGANT CLAIMS.

They had an Army of 30,000, and they were constituting a Civic Guard of three or four thousand men.

They had received already most extravagant claims for every conceivable sort of loss. They had claims for loss of business, for depreciation of shares, as a result of what happened, for dislocation of business, for business interruptions, and for money and jewellery from people who never possessed much money and never were known to sport much jewellery. (Laughter.)

"There was another order of person—people "on the run" during the past three, four, and five years, who had to bear a great deal of expense because of that particular class of experience. They had also farmers who suffered loss of markets, etc.

With regard to the suggestion of an advance of 10 per cent., he thought that some of those who made claims would be very well paid if they got 10 per cent. of what they had claimed.

He had seen claims that he was positively satisfied that if the claimants were asked to close with 10 per cent. they would say: "Thank you; we will." The position they were in was that the country was in for something like £30,000,000. If they opened it down any wider he did not know what would be the result.

Referring to unemployment, he said that when Mr. Johnson was before the Dail last December, when the Treaty was under discussion, if his (the President's) recollection was correct, the number of unemployed was stated to be in the neighbourhood of 100,000, and the figures reported to them last week were only about fifty per cent. of that number.

Mr. Johnson remarked that the 100,000 was for the whole country. There were 47,000 still on the official returns in the Northern quarter, and in the twenty six counties there were about 35,000 officially registered.

The President said that it came to this—that whatever little charity he might have possessed had died since he became Minister of Finance. That was a matter in which he was out for getting an answer and he was very slow about letting it out. The circumstances were that there was an expenditure like ten or thirteen millions beyond the estimated receipts. He asked the members not to press the amendment.

AN EASY TEST.

Mr. Johnson said that they were not asking for a contribution to the working class and the unemployed. The claims that would be sent in, if the amendment passed, would be a very clear and easy test. There was no just reason for depriving a workman of compensation for loss of wages by reason of destruction of property, which did not apply equally to the other people who had put in claims which were alleged to be exaggerated to the extent of 90 per cent.

The President said that he did not think that the terms of reference could be as wide as suggested by Mr. Johnson. If in a particular case evidence showed that it should be included that would be a different matter, but if they were to go into what transpired in the last

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FACING DEATH IN MACEDONIA.

ANATOLIAN REFUGEES SUFFERING.

STARVING, SICK, AND HOMELESS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LEMBET REFUGEE CAMP, MACEDONIA, October 31.

This is the French-built Lembet camp to house the tens of thousands of *poilus* who fought against the Turk and the Bulgar on the Thracian front. On the bare plain outside Salonica, they built a huge wireless tower that was in communication nightly with Paris, Pauillac and Bordeaux. In the shadow of the tower they built their rows of streets, constructed of grey mud bricks and mud tiles on the sloping roofs.

The French did not think much of their base here. They spell the name of the near by port, Salonique, and called the teeming Oriental city, "*Sale et unique*"—"dirty and extraordinary." When the war was over, they left the huts standing here, deserted and abandoned. Mud houses do not last long. The roofs and walls have caved in. Weeds and flowers grow on the roofs, grass sprouts on the dank, dirty floors within.

To-day, in this ruined waste of crumbling mud, 10,000 Near East and Thracian refugees make their home. The decaying barracks, placarded "L'Armee de l'Orient," house a noisy, agglomerated rabble that seems to have come straight from the pages of the "Arabian Nights," or the stage of "Chu Chin Chow."

This morning I visited the various barracks here. Under the crazy walls of the tottering houses squatted a weird multitude, with streaming swarms of flies buzzing through the paneless windows. Each family has been allotted a square of floor space, about six feet by six. There are no beds or bunks. The families fortunate enough to have saved something in the flight from their homes spread a Turkish rug, and sit on it.

Here, as always, 95 per cent. of the refugees are women and children. Hundreds came only in the clothes that they wore on the flight, and sleep under little piles of dry hay that they have picked up in the fields. Some have one or two copper cooking vessels. Those without cooking dishes eat from rusty *poilus'* tin helmets, dozens of which lie in the mud about the camp.

Two little children of five and six squat above on a rug, searching their bodies, monkey-like, for vermin. "It is very sad," explains a woman sitting on the next allotment. "Their father was a very rich man at Vouria. The Turks came and murdered and massacred. They killed the mother, and the father they took to Angora."

Over all the camp a stench hovers. Hundreds are sick in the camp at Lembet—half a dozen die daily. There is no provision for medical attention.

Conditions are better at the Kalamaria Camp, housing 14,000 people, at the other end of Salonika. The Government has installed a unit in the operating room formerly used by the British Medical Corps. These hospital wards, however, are scenes of utter misery. The children's ward presents the most ghastly scene. Here there are dozens of boys and girls who are white, staring skeletons from undernourishment. Near by, in a rickety hut, women, half mad from the terrors of the past weeks, wail to bring children into the world.

"We of the British and American colony in Salonika are doing what we can for them," said Mr. Julius Amos, head of the Salonika Branch of the Relief Organisation; "but with the unemployment we can do little. If food and clothing comes many can be saved. As it is now, all are facing death."

MENACE TO PEACE.

THE JAPANESE GARRISONS IN MANCHURIA.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MOSCOW, Wednesday.

The Russian Foreign Office officially informs me that Japanese garrisons in North Manchuria are being strengthened considerably with infantry and artillery, which they have withdrawn from Vladivostock. These troops, in the neighbourhood of 4,000, should have been withdrawn by Japan; they now constitute the gravest menace for future peace.

They officially charge Japan with not withdrawing from the Manchuria garrisons, but, instead, creating an army of White Guards, equipped with munitions from Vladivostock. They state that Japan is using these White forces to cloak Japanese consolidation of the position in Manchuria.

MILITARY CONTROL IN GERMANY.

ALLIES' FIVE CONDITIONS OF WITHDRAWAL.

The five measures demanded from the German Government by the *Entente* as a pre-requisite condition for the withdrawing of the Inter-Allied Military Commission of Control are as follow:—

(1) Reorganisation of the police.

(2) The transformation of the factories in accordance with the articles of the Peace Treaty.

(3) Delivery of the remaining unauthorised war material, in accordance with Article 169 of the Peace Treaty.

(4) The delivery of the documents relating to the state of German war material at the time of the armistice and the war capacity of German factories during the war and after the armistice, in accordance with Articles 206 and 208 of the Peace Treaty.

(5) The issue of legal enactments forbidding the import or export of war materials and placing the recruiting organisation for Germany's forces in harmony with the military clauses of the Treaty of Versailles.

INTERNATIONAL LABOUR.

UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM DISCUSSED.

The International Labour Conference yesterday at Geneva discussed the report of the Committee on Unemployment.

The report empowers the Labour Office to continue to collect statistics on all matters concerned with unemployment on a more complete basis, and further recommends closer collaboration between the economic and financial organisation of the League and the Labour Office.

M. Schurch (Switzerland) proposed calling a new Conference to deal with the problem of unemployment, and expressed the opinion that a solution was only possible with the co-operation of the United States.

Mr. Harrington Smith (South Africa) submitted an amendment, which was however, defeated on a vote, while Mr. Poulton delivered one of his usual fervid speeches in favour of a thorough investigation of the subject.

The debate will be continued to-day.

EGYPT'S AIMS.

POLICY OF NEW LIBERAL PARTY.

The following are the principal passages in Amy Pasha's speech, outlining the aims and policy of the new Liberal Constitutional Party in Egypt:—"Past experience of other nations and our own recent experiences have impressed upon us the lesson that nothing can stand between a nation and the attainment of its legitimate objective so long as it presents solid unity and strong and devoted determination. Unity it was that convinced the British that it was impossible for them to govern a nation without its will. Therefore, they resorted to mutual agreement as the surest and most honourable method for establishing relations between the two nations.

"We desire an agreement, frank and sincere, free from any vestige of bargaining or of ulterior motives, but founded on mutual friendship and goodwill. An earnest of hope in the ultimate achievement of that result is the great step recently taken by the nation towards its complete independence in the abolition of the Protectorate.

"With regard to the Sudan I must point out that any solution of the question leading to its separation from Egypt would be a solution which not only no justice or friendliness could justify, but which could never meet with the approval of the Egyptian people. The capitulations question should be the subject of special negotiations with the capitulatory Powers. We believe it is high time to put the rights gained by our country into execution. We see no justification for foreign martial law being still in force."

DEPOSITION OF THE SULTAN.

END OF THE OTTOMAN EMPIRE.

"STATE OF TURKEY" ESTABLISHED.

ANGORA'S MIDNIGHT DECISION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.

On the motion of Riza Nouri Bey, delegate to the Lausanne Conference and Acting Nationalist Premier pending the arrival of Ismet Pasha at the Nationalist capital, the Angora Government last night, after a debate lasting until past midnight, proclaimed the Sultan dethroned and the members of the Constantinople Government "traitors."

The Assembly appointed Kiazim Karabekir Pasha Governor-General of Constantinople, and ordered him to proceed there on a special mission to put the proclamation into effect.

The National Assembly names no successor for the Sultan, and reserves the right to elect the nation's ruler without regard to dynastic claims. It declares that the rights of sovereignty repose in the hands of the people, and changes the name of the "Ottoman Empire" to the "State of Turkey."

The proclamation is virtually a declaration of a Republic. It is understood to be the result of a long interview by Refet Pasha with the Sultan on Sunday.

Humbled Constantinople.

The Press Association's Special Correspondent in Constantinople telegraphed the following message yesterday afternoon. It was not known in the city of the Caliph then that the Sultan had been deposed by the order of the Angora National Assembly:—

The whole question of the *status* of the Government of Constantinople has been raised by the unwillingness of the Angora Government to participate in the Lausanne Conference in the event of a delegation from Constantinople attending. A special Council of the Ministers considered the position, and addressed an appeal to Angora to show a conciliatory spirit, as both Governments were pursuing the same ends. The Note also requested advice and instructions from Angora by which Constantinople was prepared loyally to abide.

The attitude of the Angora Government, however, appears to be absolutely intractable. It has no wish to make things easier for the Sublime Porte, whose very existence it is determined to ignore. It is understood that Angora will not reply to the Note.

The Military Trumpet.

Speaking in the Angora National Assembly, Ismet Pasha, Commissary for Foreign Affairs, said:—"It was not chance that enabled us to beat the stronger and better-equipped Greek Army. Any other Army opposed to us would have met with the same fate. Our Army to-day is she strongest and best-equipped in the world.

"It is, however, an instrument of peace. The proof of this is the fact that we stopped in the neighbourhood of the Straits when there was no force capable of holding us up. Should the necessity arise, in the interests of the world-peace, for our Army to advance, it would gain even more brilliant successes than the last time."

Kemal's Aspirations.

The Near East Correspondent of the *Petit Parisien*, says Reuter's Paris Correspondent, telegraphs that Mustapha Kemal, in an interview which he said that the Kemalists had decided to enter into agreements with the Great Powers which would enable them to live in perfect understanding with the subjects of foreign nations, but that there could be no question of maintaining the capitulations.

At the Lausanne Conference Turkey wants to secure recognition of her independence without any conditions. On the subject of the Straits he himself acknowledged the necessity for a free passage through them, Angora's only condition was the complete security of Stamboul and the Sea of Marmora.

Under these conditions Kemal favoured M. Poincaré's suggestion—namely, that the negotiations should be held in two parts, one for the liquidation of the Turco-Greek war and the other for the settlement of the Straits question.

INDUSTRIAL REVIVAL.

NEED FOR GOLD BASIS FOR GERMAN EXPORTS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CHICAGO, Wednesday.

An appeal to Mr. Bonar Law to do all in his power to obtain a gold standard of transactions for all German exports has been made through the following letter sent from here by Mr. George R. Meyercord, Chairman of the Export Committee of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association:—"We believe that the placing of German export business on a gold standard basis will do much to bring world-wide industrial stability. The demoralisation of the industry and commerce of Germany can be prevented only by putting the business of the country on a gold basis. The Government of Germany seems unwilling, for some reasons, to do this. We believe, however, that it can be done through the intervention of the Allied Reparations Commission. The British Government has the opportunity and the responsibility to act. Our object in writing to you on this subject is to get action for the international good by the shortest and most direct route."

REPARATIONS MEETING.

PRELIMINARIES TO IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

The first joint meeting of the Reparations Commission and German representatives was held in Berlin on Tuesday evening. It was devoted to hearing Budget reports. The Commission afterwards met privately.

It is understood that at the preliminary discussion, M. Barthou, the chairman, said that the main things to be dealt with were the balancing of the Budget, the floating debt, and the stabilisation of the mark. The Commission, M. Barthou added, had no intention of encroaching on the sovereignty of Germany, but he hoped for the Government's loyal co-operation.

The Under-Secretary of State, Herr Schroeder, explained the scope of the Budget for the current year. The Commission showed especial interest in the expenditure of the State railways, and in the items of the extraordinary Budget.

Herr Schroeder said that the probable deficit in the Budget of 440,000 million marks was mainly due to the burdens imposed by the Peace Treaty.

The financial experts, Mr. J. M. Keynes (Great Britain), Professor Cassel (Sweden), M. Visering (Holland), who have been invited to Berlin by the German Government, will have a first conference with the Chancellor to-day.

TROUBLE AT ALLAHABAD.

MILL WORKERS AGAIN ON STRIKE.

There was a recrudescence of industrial trouble at Allahabad on Monday. When the operatives at four mills belonging to the Agra United Spinners' Company, who only returned after a three weeks' strike, on September 20, came out again. Two policemen who were sent to preserve order were thrashed unmercifully.

Cheers for Mr. Gandhi were raised by crowds of strikers, who marched to demonstrate before the mills in the evening. The management are evidently prepared for a long lock-out.

INCENDIARISM IN DUBLIN.

INCOME TAX OFFICES RAIDED.

DESTRUCTION OF BOOKS AND DOCUMENTS.

Luncheon hour yesterday was selected for a series of raids on income tax offices in Dublin. The procedure in the various cases was much the same. Armed men entered the offices, overcame the staff on duty, sprinkled petrol on books and papers, set them alight and coolly walked away.

The first thing to attract the attention of the general public was the presence of the Fire Brigade outside the buildings where the respective offices are located.

When the Brigade arrived at Unity Buildings, Lower Sackville street and Sackville place, it was found that books and documents in the offices of Messrs. R. Tucker and H. E. Holland, Inspectors of Taxes, were burning fiercely. A line of hose was immediately laid on, and the fire was extinguished. A visit to the premises showed that, apart from the destruction of books and papers, the place had escaped serious damage.

It appears that nine or ten young men entered the building at 1.30 p.m., and, going to the top storey, where the Revenue offices are located, "held up" the staffs on duty. Three men entered each office, and while the staff were kept in one place at the point of the revolver, petrol was poured on books and papers, and they were set alight. After about ten minutes' stay the armed men left by the front entrance. During the raid a number of armed men remained on the stairs outside the offices.

The operation was carried out so quickly, and had been so well planned, that the occupants of other offices in the same building had no idea that anything was amiss. One of the armed men, on leaving, said, "Tell the C.I.D. men we'll meet them in Blessington street."

When the raiders left, the alarm was given, and the prompt arrival of the Fire Brigade and a party of National troops prevented further destruction of the documents and premises.

Between one and two o'clock, also, the Income Tax Offices at 21 Upper Merrion street were visited by five or six men, some of them armed. They ordered seven male and two female members of the staff into one room. Papers and books were then taken to one of the rooms at the back, saturated with petrol, and set on fire. A constable noticed the outbreak, and called the Fire Brigade, which arrived promptly and prevented the flames from spreading. Already, however, some of the woodwork of the premises was badly charred.

The residence of Captain McClean, 12 Morehampton terrace, Donnybrook, also an Inspector of Inland Revenue, was entered by four armed men at 1.30 o'clock yesterday. They "held up" a clerk, and made a determined effort to destroy everything in the office by fire. The furniture of the house suffered, but the arrival of the Pembroke Fire Brigade prevented the flames from spreading, and some of the furniture was put out through the windows and saved.

RAID ON BONDED STORES.

At five minutes past one o'clock yesterday ten or fifteen men, some of whom were armed, entered the bonded stores of Messrs. Francis Faulkner and Co., of 36 Dawson street, at 2 Adelaide road, Dublin. They "held up" the clerk, an Excise officer, and the storeman with revolvers. They demanded the keys from the Excise officer. He refused to give them up, but the raiders took them by force. Next they took the ledgers from the strong box, put them into a taxicab, which had been backed into the yard, and drove away.

One of the men, who described himself as the leader, said: "If these books are no use to us, we shall return them."

RAILWAY TRAFFIC UNINTERRUPTED.

The only serious damage done in the attempt to burn the signal cabin at Sandymount avenue on Tuesday night was the destruction of a block switchboard, which was used for signalling the departure of trains from Lansdowne road and Merrion. The signals, however, were undamaged, and there was no interruption of traffic yesterday.

EX-KAISER'S WEDDING.

AUTOGRAPHED LETTER TO THE CLERGYMAN.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

THE HAGUE, Wednesday.

There will be thirty guests at Doorn for the ex-Kaiser's wedding, including his brother, Prince Henry; his sons, Eitel Friedrich, August William Oscar, and Adalbert; his only daughter, Victoria Louise (wife of the Duke of Brunswick); two Princes and two Princesses, each of the Reuss and Carolath family; his sister, Princess Margaret; his bosom friends, Prince Fuerstenberg and Pless.

There will be no wedding presents, at the ex-Kaiser's own insistence. He suggested that because of the hard times the money should be spent on charity.

On November 4 a banquet will be held at Amerongen Castle, the marriage taking place on the following day. The religious ceremony will be held at 12.30 o'clock.

The ex-Kaiser will wear a gala Guard uniform. Dr. Voegel, the clergyman, has received autographed instructions from the ex-War Lord regarding the ceremonial to be used.

The speeches were fully detailed, including those to be given at the programme incident to the bride's arrival at Amerongen Castle on November 4, where Count Bentinck will give a banquet.

TRANQUILLISING ITALY.

NEW PREMIER RESTORING DISCIPLINE.

Reuter's Rome Correspondent says that the new Government has been examining the internal situation, which was found vastly improved everywhere, and there is every promise of a return to complete tranquillity. The Ministry of Industry, in conjunction with the Minister of the Treasury, has agreed to the immediate re-opening of the Italian Bourses.

REPLY TO COUNT SFORZA.

Signor Mussolini has sent the following reply to Count Sforza's letter of resignation:—"I feel bound to regard as scarcely friendly and a very ill-timed action your decision to resign before you have official knowledge of my directions in the matter of the foreign policy which I shall lay before the Chamber, and which will, in any case, not be simply a sum of sentiments, as you mistakingly suppose.

"I, therefore, formally invite you to remain at your post and not to embarrass the Government, which represents the loftiest expression of the national conscience. I shall be glad of a reply by telegraph, reserving to myself a further decision in your case."

The *Giornale d'Italia* says that the dignified attitude of the Premier will meet with general approval, and is a clear indication of the sense of discipline which he will restore in the country.

It is announced that besides Count Sforza, Senators Frassati and Rolando Ricci, respectively, Italian Ambassadors in Berlin and Washington, have resigned, in order to leave Signor Mussolini free to fill these important posts with men enjoying his personal confidence.

RESCUE IN THE CHANNEL.

BRAVE BELFAST CAPTAIN.

At the Belfast Corporation meeting yesterday, the Lord Mayor presented to Captain Black, of the s.s. Eveleen, a telescope, in recognition of services rendered by him at sea to a French vessel.

The Eveleen, with Captain George Black (who resides at Duncairn Gardens, Belfast), in command, was hastening her way into the mouth of the English Channel in a gale, and when passing the Isle of Ushant, the Depute Albert Taillandier was sighted in apparent distress. The Eveleen bore down and offered assistance, but the Frenchmen refused to leave their vessel. The Eveleen went on her way, but inside ten minutes the Depute Albert Taillandier suddenly rolled over, throwing her crew into the sea, and disappeared beneath the waves.

Putting about, the Eveleen hastened to the assistance of the men in the water. For two hours she steamed about, picking up a man here and there, all in the last stage of exhaustion, until a total of eleven were rescued, but one, unfortunately, did not survive his dreadful ordeal.

FRENCH DRAMATIST DEAD.

Mr. Alfred Capus, a member of the Academie Francaise, dramatist and political editor of the *Figaro*, died in Paris yesterday.

FROM TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

ELECTION PROSPECTS.

QUESTIONS FOR THE ELECTORS.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

The question which now arises for electors who wish to do their best for the country, but are undecided how to do it, is whether, in view of the prevailing uncertainties, they should support this party or that, or should simply record their votes in favour of the individual candidates whose characters appeal most strongly to them. In many constituencies this question may be hard to answer, but there is, we believe, one consideration that in present circumstances carries special weight. Of coalition the country has had enough and to spare. Should none of the parties whose programmes are before it secure a working majority in the House of Commons, some form of coalition or co-operation would be inevitable, unless there were a fresh dissolution or dissolutions in a short time.

A succession of general elections would not, however, conduce to the tranquillity which we believe the majority of Englishmen and Englishwomen desire in the interests of the nation. Therefore, it seems expedient that one of the two larger parties should obtain a clear majority. While we yield to none in our devotion to the great Liberal principles that underlie our national institutions, we doubt whether the election is likely to show a great preponderance of successes for Liberal Party candidates. On the contrary, we think it probable that the Unionist, or Conservative, Party will be numerically stronger than any other party in the new House of Commons. Whether it will be stronger than the Liberals, the Lloyd Georgians, and the Labour, or Socialist, Party combined is an issue which only the polling can decide.

We hope, however, that the Conservative Party will get a clear working majority, so that the necessity for further coalition may be avoided, and that it may be confronted with so strong an Opposition as to place a check upon power to govern with any approach to caprice.

COALITION LIBERALS.

A GESTURE OF WARNING.

The Times Parliamentary Correspondent writes:—There is even less likelihood than on Tuesday—when the possibility was already diminishing—that the Coalition Liberals will seek to take revenge on the Unionist Party for attacking seats hitherto held by Mr. Lloyd George's followers. The threat of reprisals is now seen to have been a gesture of warning to save further seats from attack.

Although resentful of the treatment of Coalition Liberals as enemies of the party with which they were so recently in alliance, Mr. Lloyd George is unable to take any action in defence of his followers that would not involve them in greater difficulties. Reprisals would lead to counter-reprisals of one sort or another, and the Coalition Liberal Party would inevitably disappear.

GERMAN ARMAMENTS.

NEW GOVERNMENT'S DUTY.

Neither electioneering nor the coming Lausanne Conference should for a moment distract attention from the steady pursuit by Germany of a policy of re-armament (remarks *The Times* editorially). The late Government and certain authorities at the War Office appear to have been duped into conduct which directly supports this policy. Our Berlin telegram of yesterday stated the latest concession made in favour of this darling scheme of "Prussian militarism." The official information given to our correspondent is to the effect that the Allied Governments have agreed to withdraw the Inter-Allied Military Commission of Control so soon as arrangements have been made for winding up a few outstanding matters. Thereafter a small military committee, on the lines of the Air Committee of Guarantees, established last winter, is to take its place.

We have no hesitation in asserting that this projected withdrawal of the Inter-Allied Commission must be promptly and decisively renounced by the new Government. We shall be greatly surprised if it has received the assent of France. We know that Marshal Foch and General Nollett, the French members of the Commission, are strongly opposed to it. It is desirable and, indeed, necessary that Parliament and the nation should know what have been the influences in the late Government, in the War Office, and in certain military circles, which have favoured and promoted it.

For more than two years we have pointed out that the German Government have been systematically evading their obligation to disarm, and evading it with a very marked measure of success. The Inter-Allied Commission has been an obstacle in their way, and, naturally, they are eager to have it withdrawn.

THE SOVIET NAVY.

MORE SHIPS TO BE BUILT.

The Times Correspondent at Riga writes:—It is reported from Moscow that Trotsky has worked out, in conjunction with ex-Admiral Niemitz and the present Naval Commander-in-Chief, Pantzerzhansky, a five-year building programme destined to increase the strength of the Soviet Navy chiefly in small craft. Five torpedo boats and seven submarines are to be added to the Baltic Fleet. For the Black Sea Fleet it is intended to "acquire" or build six torpedo boats and ten submarines.

Special attention is to be devoted to naval aviation, and the present number of seaplanes is to be doubled. A few weeks ago Trotsky visited the Black Sea port of Nikolsievsk to see whether the shipbuilding yards there could be used, and since his visit the money necessary for putting the equipment in order has been granted by the Government.

WIRELESS SECRECY.

NO MORE TAPPED MESSAGES.

In a message from Paris yesterday, *The Times* Correspondent states:—Mr. Edouard Belin, who recently invented a process by which photographs could be transmitted by cable, has now invented a method which prevents the tapping of wireless messages. The apparatus used is called by M. Belin the "crypto-tele-stereograph," and the "radio-crypto-tele-stereograph."

The principle of the apparatus derives from results which M. Belin had previously obtained in synchronising with wireless telegraphy two motors placed at any distance, no matter how far apart. For his present purpose two motors, which are strictly synchronised, are used to set in motion cylinders, one at the transmitting and another at the receiving post, through the intermediary of a series of six concentric discs. The apparatus resembles a combination lock, and the transmitter and receiver of a wireless message have only to agree to a combination in order to secure secrecy.

M. Belin, naturally, considers that he has solved the problem of making wireless as discreet as any other method of communication. Those who are acquainted with the previous work of the remarkable French engineer, M. Belin, have very little doubt that his hopes will be realised.

LONDON-COLOGNE BY AIR.

EXTENDED PERMITS.

In a message from Cologne yesterday *The Times* Correspondent states:—The German Government and the Rhineland High Commission have extended the permits for the London-Cologne air line to November 30. Negotiations as to permitting Germans to fly over the occupied territory are continuing. The Air Ministry has made arrangements with the Instone Air Company by which members of the Army of Occupation, the Rhineland High Commission, and other Government officials, with their families, will be carried on the London-Cologne route at 10 per cent. reduction on the ordinary fare.

The total number of passengers carried since the opening of the line on October 5 is 206.

NEW CAPITAL.

IMPORTANT NITRATE ISSUE PENDING.

The Times in its "City Notes" column, states:—Yesterday being the first of November, the Stock Exchange remained closed. Consequently, with so many of its habitues away, the City presented no outstanding features of financial interest. But a large number of new capital issues are under contemplation, some of which will be floated before the General Election. With politics uppermost in many men's minds, however, it is natural that those waiting to appeal to the investor should desire to postpone it until after polling day. We learn that an important Nitrate issue is being arranged.

ULSTER'S CHARTER.

1920 ACT NOT PERMANENT.

BOUNDARIES NOT LOGICAL.

POSSIBLE AGREEMENT WITH THE SOUTH.

Mr. A. Chamberlain, replying to a deputation from the Ulster Unionist Council at Birmingham yesterday, said that the late Government never affected to believe that the Act of 1920 could be permanent.

"It did not seem to him to offer the ground on which they could really settle down; but it gave the six counties of Ulster their recognition as an independent unit, which had to be consulted, and it could only be united with the rest of Ireland by persuasion and of its own free will.

In that sense the Act of 1920 was Ulster's charter. Nobody pretended that the boundaries of the six counties were logical or good boundaries in themselves.

Had the Coalition Government remained in power, the British representative on the Boundary Commission would have had no such part in politics as would render him suspect by either side.

"I am bound by the treaty I signed," said Mr. Chamberlain; "that treaty included the appointment of a Boundary Commission." He believed that adjustment of the existing boundaries was the legal interpretation of what the signatories to the Treaty meant.

"Of course," he added, "I do not now speak for the new Government, and I do not think I am likely to become a member of it."

The practicability of the boundaries being arranged by the two Irish Governments was put to Mr. Chamberlain by a member of the deputation, and he replied that he saw no objection to that as an alternative to the Boundary Commission.

After interviewing Mr. Chamberlain, the Birmingham group of deputations split up and visited the various constituencies.

The members of the Ulster Delegation in London have been invited to a reception by the Duke and Duchess of Abercorn at their town residence, Mount street, on to-morrow. Lord and Lady Carson are entertaining the members at Eaton place on a subsequent date.

U.S. AND THE LEAGUE.

SIGNS OF RECOGNITION IN NEAR FUTURE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday.

Negotiations are in progress by the United States to gain a voice in the nomination and election of the judges of the International Court of Justice to be set up by the League of Nations.

This disclosure is made by the White House. The official spokesman for President Harding explains that the Court confirms the American policy of arbitration in judicial disputes by an international body. He has no desire to criticise the American member, Mr. John Bassett, who is already selected by the League Council, but the Government prefers to choose its own representative.

Should the present negotiations result in the United States being granted this authority, it is indicated that America would take a full share in the workings of the Court.

The White House utterances are a mark forward. By the Administration it is interpreted as virtual recognition of the necessity of some form of Association of Nations for the peace of the world. In fact, the negotiations mean the recognition of the League of Nations as at present existing, because the United States Government going into the Court will, in future, have to act according to the procedure laid down by the League of Nations.

Little by little the Administration is leaning toward the underlying idea of the League, while still opposed to the League as now composed.

GEISHA GIRLS FREE.

JAPANESE COURT ABOLISHES CONTRACTS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

TOKIO, Wednesday.

The Appellate Court of the District of Osaka has handed down a decision affecting hundreds of thousands of girls in Japan, now held in more or less involuntary servitude.

The Court's opinion comp

CONSERVATIVES AND MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

NO PROTEST ABOUT OPPOSITION.

EX-PREMIER MUCH BETTER.

At the Unionist Central Office in London it is still denied that any representations have been made by the National Liberals as to the adoption of Unionist candidates in opposition to members of Mr. Lloyd George's party.

At the headquarters of both parties the situation is being carefully watched.

The Unionists, it is stated, have not put any sort of pressure on the local Associations to adopt candidates against National Liberals, and *it* is added with equal emphasis that there is no intention of urging withdrawals.

The total number of candidates approved by the Unionists is 462. The National Liberals up to the present have 168 candidates. In twenty-nine cases the Unionists and the National Liberals are opposed.

Almost the whole field is thus covered, and any further candidates by either party must, except in a more handful of constituencies, be at the expense of the other.

Unless some surprise decision is arrived at before nomination day the lists of both parties may be regarded as practically closed.

Mr. Lloyd George was much better last night, and he hopes to be able to speak at the Stoll Picture House in London on Saturday.

It was added that the ex-Premier was suffering from a cold, and it is deemed inadvisable for him to travel at present.

Mr. Churchill's condition was reported much improved last night.

ULSTER CANDIDATES.

FOUR CONTESTS POSSIBLE IN BELFAST.

Major-General the Reverend J. M. Sims, D.D., C.M.G., and Mr. D. D. Reid were elected yesterday as the Unionist candidates for Co. Down. In the late Parliament they represented North Down and East Down respectively.

At a meeting of the Unionist Association in Ballymena yesterday the Hon. Hugh O'Neill, Speaker of the Northern House of Commons, and Mr. C. C. Craig, leader of the Ulster Unionist Party at Westminster, were adopted as the official candidates for County Antrim. There were 1,168 and 167 votes respectively against 15 cast for Mr. George B. Hanna.

In Belfast these may be four contests. Mr. T. E. McConnell is the official Unionist candidate for the North Division, and Mr. R. J. Lynn has been selected for the West Division.

To-morrow Mr. T. Moles will be formally adopted as Unionist candidate for the South Division. Captain Herbert Dixon, it is expected, will be the official candidate for the East Division. It is possible that a Labour Unionist may also be nominated for this seat.

The Labour Party has approached Messrs. S. Kyle (Workers' Union), G. Donaldson (Plumbers' Society), and H. Spiers (Engineering and Shipbuilding Federation) with a view to their contesting the North, South, and West Divisions.

ELECTION ITEMS.

Mr. Asquith is to address a meeting at Newcastle-on-Tyne on November 19.

Mr. C. B. Fry, the famous cricketer, is to contest Brighton as an Independent Liberal.

Dr. Marion Phillips, chief woman officer of the Labour Party, starts to-day on a campaign in the constituencies.

Sir Richard Matthias, Bart., of Cardiff, former M.P. for Cheltenham, is standing as Independent candidate for Merthyr Tydvil.

Lord Hugh Cecil and Sir Charles Oman (Conservatives), and Professor Gilbert Murray (Liberal) will stand for Oxford University.

Lord Crewe is suffering from severe cold, and is unable to fulfil his engagement at Northampton to-day. Lord Islington takes his place.

Lady Emmott is Independent Liberal candidate for Oldham, which her husband represented for twelve years before he was made a Peer.

Mr. H. J. Winn, of Howden, is to contest Howdenshire as an Agricultural candidate in opposition to the Hon. F. S. Jackson, the famous cricketer and new Financial Secretary to the War Office.

SHOT BY MASKED MAN.

WONDERFUL ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

At the Belfast Claims Court yesterday, Charles Fagan, tobacconist and newsagent, of Woodstock street, claimed £2,000 for personal injuries. He was reading in the kitchen when he heard a commotion in the shop. On going out he was confronted by a young fellow, who had a handkerchief tied round his face and a revolver in his hand. Witness's wife was surrounded by two other raiders. The boy stepped back a pace, and shot witness below the heart.

Dr. Moore said that the applicant had a wonderful escape, as the bullet did not strike any vital organ.

His Honor awarded the applicant £65 and three guineas expenses.

WOUNDED NATIONAL SOLDIERS.

ARRIVAL IN DUBLIN.

There arrived in Dublin from Cork yesterday the following soldiers of the National Army who have been wounded in recent fighting:—

Private T. Fox, 1st Western Division.
Private Thomas Doyle, Curragh Reserve.
Private John Bailey, 1st Cork Reserve.
Private P. Hoover, 6th Battalion, Cork.
Private R. O'Brien, 2nd Tipperary Reserve.

Also the following from Galway:—

Private P. Leahy, 1st Western Division.
Corporal E. Fallon, 1st Western Division.
Private M. Landy, 1st Western Division.

DEAD SOLDIER'S FRIENDS SOUGHT.

The remains of Peter Byrne, a national soldier, who died in a Galway hospital, are now in Portobello Barracks. The Army authorities desire to find his relatives.

BOMB THROUGH FANLIGHT.

OUTRAGE IN BELFAST LAST NIGHT.

A bomb outrage was attempted in Belfast last night, but fortunately the missile failed to cause much damage.

The bomb, which was fully charged and detonated, was thrown through the fanlight of the house of Mrs. William Lyons, 53 Lonsdale street, but it did not explode, and beyond breaking the glass did little injury.

The police made exhaustive searches in the neighbourhood, but without result.

BOMB-THROWING IN DUBLIN.

A bomb was thrown last night at motor lorries carrying national troops through Dorset street, Dublin. It exploded in the centre of the roadway, at the crossing of the North Circular road. The street was almost deserted at the time, and apparently no injury was caused to the soldiers or to civilians in the street.

BUSINESS FIRMS

Requiring Women Typists or Clerks should call up 2078 (Rosse, Collson, Stephen's Green). 365 Certificates in Shorthand, Typewriting, etc., gained by pupils since January 1st, 1922.
—(Advt.)

SIR A. MOND HECKLED.

STORMY SCENE IN IRISH QUARTER OF SWANSEA.

Sir Alfred Mond had a mixed reception at a meeting he attended in the Irish quarter of Swansea last night.

After an appeal had been made for fair play, Sir Alfred went on to speak, amidst interruption, on the Irish settlement.

He was remarking that the interests of the Free State would want watching with care and sympathy, when an interrupter shouted: "You want watching."

"I am not afraid of being watched," Sir Alfred replied, "my record stands high."

Cries of "One room" greeted his reference to the housing question.

Sir A. GRIFFITH-BOSCAWEN:

I think that the success of trade, industry, and commerce is more likely to be attained by the methods of the new Government than those of the old. Lord Birkenhead, no doubt, regarded the new Cabinet as a second-rate lot, but we did not mind. The country attached more importance to character and honesty of purpose than to the most dazzling brilliancy. It was the dazzling brilliance of certain persons in the late Cabinet which brought us within an ace of war with Turkey. The situation was only just saved by Lord Curzon and General Harington. It was this, more than anything else, which made me feel the impossibility of my continuance under the existing *régime*.

It was the same kind of brilliance which conceived the master-stroke of forcing a General Election at once in order to avoid the meeting of the National Unionist Conference. Such brilliant strokes sometimes recoil on their authors, and to-day we have the sad spectacle of Lord Birkenhead bewailing in public the fact that he is no longer Lord Chancellor.

Mr. J. R. CLYNES:

The new Cabinet consists largely of crumpled coronets, and there is nothing first-class about its members except their salaries. A rude awakening awaits those who think that they can maintain a state of tranquillity. There is angry discontent abroad, which cannot be bought off by the assurance that a committee will deal with unemployment. The intolerable taxation can only be remedied by some transference of private possessions to the State. No one will forfeit anything he cannot afford.

Sir ROBERT HORNE:

I am a Unionist, and will sit on the Unionist side of the House, but I do not agree with every iota of the Premier's statements. Moderate opinion must unite to defeat Labour's policy of a capital levy and industrial nationalisation. I want Mr. Asquith to state if all Government must stop failing any party getting a clear majority, and whether Mr. Asquith, if a joint majority is secured, will co-operate with Labour.

Mr. ASQUITH:

I advocate strict economy, in order to remedy the existing financial condition of the country, and I deprecate the Labour Party's policy of capital levy and nationalisation. The position of the Coalitionists and Conservatives is one of mud-slinging, and it is an unedifying spectacle.

Mr. STANLEY BALDWIN:

Is Lord Birkenhead prepared to follow Mr. Bonar Law, the leader of the United Conservative Party? The new Government is not a Government of promises, but if it is returned to power we will do its best to reduce expenditure and taxation, to foster trade, to maintain good relations with the Allies, and work so far as it could, hand-in-hand, with America. The debt due to America would be paid to the last penny.

COLONEL AMERY (First Lord Admiralty):

Mr. Churchill's attack regarding the Naval Estimates does not bear the slightest resemblance to the truth. If Mr. Churchill is referring to the controversy between the Geddes Committee and the Admiralty, then the report and the counter-proposals of the Admiralty were laid before an important Cabinet Committee, of which Mr. Churchill was a member, and approved. These proposals effected a saving of twenty million—the greatest economy ever effected in the Naval Estimates.

EARL BALFOUR:

National Liberals and Unionists are menaced by common dangers. Are their forces so overwhelming that they could afford to divide them in a manner that the merest tyro in politics would declare insane? When there are such advantages in moderate men of all parties working together, it seems sheer lunacy to throw away the opportunity of co-operation, which has been so fruitful in the past, by a hazardous experiment unjustifiable by argument, and defenceless at the bar of reason.

Mr. ARTHUR HENDERSON:

Mr. Bonar Law's Government will be purely reactionary. Labour would make the League of Nations the guardian of the world peace, and would have the Peace Treaties revised by the League. They would make a substantial retrenchment by creating a War Debt Redemption Fund, which could be raised by a tax on accumulated wealth. They did not penalise thrift, but aimed at the huge war fortunes of the "profiteers." Labour's programme is not Bolshevism, or Communism, but common sense.

VISCOUNT LONG:

I feel it my duty to accept the Conservative Party's decision, and loyally support Mr. Bonar Law. I regard the new Government as being both strong and capable, and one which commands very favourably with its predecessors. I hope it may be possible not to drive out those Imperialists who, while they are not prepared to join their party, are prepared to give a general and loyal support to Mr. Bonar Law's Government.

THE CITY ALLOTMENTS.

At the same meeting, the following resolution will be moved by Mr. P. T. Daly:—

"That it be an instruction from this Council that in all cases where lands are at present allocated to allotment holders for the production of food they be retained by them until such time as such land or lands are required for building houses for the working classes; that in connection with the Sloblands Area the tenancies be continued until the Engineer presents a report showing good and sufficient reason or reasons for the present tenants vacating them, and that the allotments on the Church road Area surrendered to the Council be allocated to such plotholders as may be dispossessed until such time as the Council decides to proceed with the housing scheme on the Church road."

THE BUILDING TRADE.

Our Reconstruction Pages (10 and 11) to-day contain valuable information on the various matters connected with building, engineering, etc. Among the subjects dealt with are:—

Architraves.	Doors.	Pavement Lights	
Acetylene Lamps.	Drainage Goods.	Pipes.	
Art Metal work.	Electric Fittings.	Plaster of Paris.	
Artesian Borings.	Electric Lighting.	Plastering.	
Asbestos Sheets.	Electric Motors.	Plaster Board.	
Asbestos Slates.	Engineering.	Plumbing.	
Asbestos Cement.	Fibre Concrete.	Railings.	
Asphalt Roofs.	Fireclay.	Rainpipes.	
Baths.	Floorings.	Reinforced Concrete.	
Belts.	Foundry Work.	Ranges.	
Beaver Board.	Furniture.	R.W. Fittings.	
Blinds.	Furnaces.	Roofing Tiles.	
Boilers.	Gates.	Roofs.	
Brass Work.	Gauges.	Sanitation.	
Bricks.	Girders.	Screens.	
Bronze Work.	Glazing.	Sculpture.	
Building.	Grates.	Sewer Pipes.	
Building Providers.	Hardwood.	Sheet Metal.	
Builders' Iron-mongery.	Hearths.	Sheetrock.	
Carving.	Heating.	Shop Fittings.	
Casements.	Hinges.	Shutters.	
Castings.	Ironmongery.	Skylights.	
Cast Iron Work.	Ironwork.	Slates.	
Cement.	Joinery.	Sleeping Vans.	
Cement Mixers.	Lavatories.	Steel Sashes.	
Chimney Cowls.	Lead Pipes.	Steam Boilers.	
Clay Goods.	Lifts.	Steel Buildings.	
Columns.	Lighting Plant.	Steel Frames.	
Concrete Blocks	Locks.	Steel Joists.	
Concrete Mixers.	Machinery Repairs.	Stoves.	
Contracting.	Mansdam Plant.	Telephones.	
Copings.	Mantels & Tiles.	Tiles.	
Corrugated Iron.	Marble Work.	Timber.	
Desks.	Metal Windows.	Tracks.	
Decoration.	Mosaic.	Varnishes.	
Distempers.	Motor Transport.	Ventilating.	
	Mouldings.	Volcanite Roofs.	
	Ovens.	Wagons.	
	Oxide of Zinc.	Wallpapers.	
	Paints.	Water Tanks.	
	Parquetry.	Windows.	
	Partitions.	Wood Carving.	

QUEENSTOWN'S LOSS.

RESULT OF UNSETTLED CONDITIONS.

At the Cork Harbour Board yesterday it was mentioned that the cable repairing station which was about to be erected at Queenstown, is to be removed to Plymouth, the company stating that their reason for changing their plans was the unsettled conditions in Ireland.

On the motion of Mr. Hennessy, M.P., it was decided to write to the company, asking them not to alter their plans, and guaranteeing the safety of their property at Queenstown.

IRISH BARLEY PRICES.

A GROWER'S SUGGESTION.

In an open letter to the barley-growers of Ireland, "Barley Grower" says that they are selling their barley 10s. below what it cost them to produce it, and that the fruits of their sacrifices go to make huge dividends for brewery shareholders. Their profits of the prosperous years of 1919 and 1920 are gone, and they are worse off to-day than ever. While barley is back in value to that of 1914, what they buy is still at war level, labour is 2½ higher than in 1914, and farm implements, artificial manures, freights, rates, and taxes are at prices out of all reason when compared with what they had to take for their barley. If their barley was an essential ingredient of Irish stout and whiskey, why not ask those who wanted it to name the prices before it was sown.

"A duty," he says, "on foreign barley and malt is often advocated. Stop the imports is shouted now and then. Both are things that highly undesirable thing, Government interference. A subsidy for the growers does not look like materialising from an empty Exchequer. Keep out the Indian corn and substitute barley looks quite practicable, but we only grow 3,000,000 cwts of barley and we import 15,000,000 cwts. of maize, and unless we are prepared to increase the barley area five times over this would not be a solution. This will in time, however, be a natural outcome of adopting my suggestion—feed barley instead of maize to live stock. If there is no solution to the present problem there are no brains in Ireland."

ERRING SPIRIT GROCERS.

SEVERAL FINES IN BELFAST.

In the Belfast Court yesterday, Charles Melville, spirit grocer, Westmoreland street, was fined £5s. and costs for permitting liquor to be consumed on his premises.

It was stated that at 9.20 on the 21st ult. four men, two of whom had bottles of porter before them, were found on the premises. Two gave wrong names and addresses, the third produced a bottle of the bounds, and the fourth, who appeared in court and was fined 5s., stated that he had done some work for the defendant, who "stood" him a drink.

Elizabeth Whitley, spirit grocer, 309 Donegall road, against whom there were two summonses, was charged with selling spirits and beer for consumption on the premises.

The evidence was to the effect that four men were found in a room upstairs, but they were not seen to consume either spirits or beer.

The defendant was fined 20s., and the men were ordered to pay 5s. each.

David Reynolds, spirit grocer, Ia Elm street, was also fined 20s. and costs for opening his premises and selling porter on Sunday, 15th ult.

Mr. Graham said that defendant left the key of the shop with a man who lived near the premises, in order that defendant's sister might call for it. Meanwhile the man opened the shop and "treated" a friend. He submitted that the defendant could not be held responsible, but the Bench decided otherwise.

William H. Scott, 44 North Howard street, was fined 40s. and costs, it being stated that there were five men and two women in the bar at 9.45 p.m. on 20th ult.

DUBLIN WOMAN DROWNED.

The body of a woman which was taken from the sea at Booterstown on Monday evening has been identified as that of Maureen Magee, 11 Prince of Wales terrace, Ballsbridge. She had been nursing an invalid sister, and left her house at 2 o'clock on Monday. Subsequently the body was found in the sea.

Thirty-four pages of Tuesday night's *London Gazette* are devoted to the names of dead soldiers and airmen whose personal estate is held for distribution among the next-of-kin or others entitled.

LICENSING LAWS DISREGARDED.

DRINKING ABUSES IN IRELAND.

CLERGYMEN ALARMED.

At the half-yearly executive meeting of the Priests' Father Mathew Union, the Committee had under consideration reports from twenty diocesan branches. These reports testified to a very alarming spread of drinking abuses, consequent on illicit distilling, disregard of hours of closing, unrestricted Sunday drinking, sale of drink to soldiers on duty, regrettable grants of unnecessary new licences by the parish courts, sale of drink to children, and extensive disregard of the Confirmation pledge by the youth of the country.

From these reports and evidence submitted in correspondence it appeared that a traffic which is open to such abuses is a main cause of the moral and social anarchy into which the country has been sinking.

"Never," as one of the reports puts it, "was there such need for organisation of all the forces of Church and State to arrest its ravages." The Church's weapon of moral suasion was practically ignored in the face of such unchecked incentives to debauch. Describing scenes that he had recently witnessed, a priest who had laboured long for temperance assured the Committee that in his belief "drink was going to make short work of the Free State unless the Free State managed, without further delay, to turn off the tap."

On the other hand, the Committee had also before it reassuring evidence that the heads of the State were at least as fully alive to the peril as the heads of the Church, and that, in the face of serious difficulties and embarrassments, they were beginning to assert effective control.

Much satisfaction was felt at well-grounded prospects of efficient supervision of the drink traffic by the Civic Guard, and of the revision and withdrawal of many superfluous licences recently granted in certain areas by the parish courts.

Arrangements were made for a deputation from the Union to ask an interview with the Minister of Home Affairs and the Minister of Defence, with a view to making helpful suggestions for the suppression of at least the most dangerous and scandalous abuses.

CHILD TRADERS.

RESPONSIBILITY OF PARENTS.

Presiding at the last session of the Children's (Street Trading) Inquiry Court, Dr. Myles Keogh commented on the large number of cases against juveniles of a school-going age who were reported for trading in the streets. In a few instances he was satisfied that, owing to home circumstances, the children had resorted to street vending without the knowledge of their parents. In every other case it was clearly proved that the parents were the real culprits. He trusted that the police authority would utilise the powers they possessed by instituting proceedings against parents for allowing their youngsters under 16 years to be selling newspapers. Dr. Keogh paid tribute to the efficient services rendered by the three whole-time police constables on street trading duty, but he thought that their number should be reinforced with a view to the more rigorous enforcement of the by-laws.

With regard to the children who came before him for persisting in the class of offence referred to, he had to consider the question of sending them before the police magistrate, as he had no other alternative. In the connection the President said that he felt very reluctant about remitting them to that tribunal, for the reason that the atmosphere of the Police Courts was not beneficial to the impressionable minds of children.

He was aware that at the Dublin Police Courts there was a separate room for the trial of juvenile offenders, where the cases were heard in a careful and considerate manner, but the divisional justices but still he was inclined to the opinion that, in justice to the rising generation, the effective administration of the law affecting juvenile criminality of all degrees cannot be hoped for until the establishment of a children's court, with a special code for inquiring into their offences, administered by a children's magistrate appointed and confined to that duty—not harried or wearied by a multitude of greater offences—and holding his court in some place quite apart from the contaminating influence of the ordinary Police Courts.

FOREIGN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Carpentier has arrived at Riga in connection with the opening of a Latvian Casino.

Telegraph rates from France to England have been increased by 55 centimes a word from yesterday.

About two hundred fishing smacks were wrecked off the coast of Portugal during the recent stormy weather.

A woman, aged 94, has died at Nevers, leaving ninety-eight surviving children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Mr. Taschereau, the Premier of Quebec, declares that the direct manufacture of beer will not be undertaken by the Government.

A subscription has been opened in Budapest by the Town Council for the purpose of presenting a sword of honour to Mustapha Kemal Pasha.

A German-Italian Chamber of Commerce is to be formed in Munich, to work in conjunction with the German-Italiain Chambers of Commerce in Frankfurt and Milan.

Sir Auckland Geddes, in a statement made in Ottawa, denies ever having made a statement to the effect that he was opposed to special Canadian representation at Washington.

His Majesty's battle cruisers Hood and Repulse have arrived at Las Palmas from Trinidad, and the officers and crews are being entertained by the city and the clubs.

According to a despatch from Mexico City, General Francisco Murguia, the rebel leader, was captured on Tuesday and shot by a firing squad yesterday morning.

Cologne taxi-drivers are now entitled to charge 220 times the fare registered "on the clock"; if chartered on race days for the race-course they may charge 440 times the registered fare, which is that current in 1914.

General Dousmanis, who had been under arrest in connection with the investigation as to responsibility for the defeat of the Greek Army in Anatolia, has been released. Prince Andrew, whose case is being dealt with separately, has not yet been interrogated.

Following the complete withdrawal of Allied troops from Siberia, the British, French, Italian, United States, and Japanese Governments have relinquished control of the Chinese Eastern Railway, and have withdrawn their representatives from Kharbin and Vladivostok.

EUROPE'S RECUPERATION.

Speaking in Jersey City, New Jersey, yesterday, in his second campaign speech, Mr. Hughes said—The United States is desirous to aid in every proper manner the economic recuperation of Europe, but we cannot do for Europe what is wholly within European control, and Europe must do it for herself.

SUICIDE IN A WELL.

Reuter's Paris Correspondent reports from the village of Landortne, that a woman living there tied her baby girl of 22 months to her body and then jumped down a well. Her brother climbed down a rope to rescue the two, but the woman resisted, imploring him to leave her to die. He succeeded in bringing the mother and child up, but both were dead.

HISTORIC CHAPEL DESTROYED.

Recent gales have swept away a reminder of Mary Queen of Scots, in Brittany, says a Reuter telegram. The 25th high tides and wild seas have destroyed the breakwaters and flooded the fields between Roscoff and Saint Pol, and at Roscoff the old chapel, known as the chapel of Mary Stuart, has been swept away. It was already in a semi-ruined state, but nothing now remains of it but a heap of stones. The chapel was built in 1548, on the spot at which Mary Stuart landed after her betrothal to the Dauphin.

FRANCE'S REMEMBRANCE DAY.

What is popularly known as All Saints' weather prevailed on France's Day of Remembrance of her Dead but the driving rain and bitter weather did not prevent flower-laden pilgrims from visiting the cemeteries in large numbers, says Reuter's Correspondent telegraphing from Paris yesterday. President and Mme. Millerand laid flowers on the grave of the Unknown Soldier, at the Arc de Triomphe. Members of the French branch of the British Legion, wearing uniform, proceeded to the Pantin Cemetery, where British soldiers are buried. General Sir C. Sackville-West, the British Military Attache, delivered a short address.

LONDON-BERLIN BY AIR.

The German Government has agreed to the proposals of the British Government with regard to the establishment of air services from London to Berlin. It has also agreed to consolidating the Bourneville Village Trust and the "Factory in a Garden." Among the wreaths were two from Austria, describing Mr. Cadbury as "the life-long friend of all nations."

CORK HARBOUR SCHEMES.

THE PROPOSED GOVERNMENT LOAN.

The Cork Harbour Board at its meeting yesterday unanimously re-elected Mr. Frank Daly as Chairman for the ensuing year.

The members referred to Mr. Daly's resignation of the Chairmanship some time ago, and said that it came on them as a surprise to hear that he had changed his mind and consented again to go forward for the chair.

In these circumstances, Mr. Lucey proposed Mr P. D. O'Brien for the Chairmanship, but Mr. O'Brien, declining to go forward, animadverted on wild schemes of boulevards at Ringaskiddy, and applying for a two million loan from the Provisional Government. He believed that the Government would not give two thousand pence for harbour development as propounded by Mr. Daly. Any man following him in the chair would be in an awkward position, and he thought that the schemes were only leading the workers astray.

Mr. Hennessy, M.P., supported the election of Mr. Daly, and said that he believed that they would get a large sum of money from the Irish Government to develop the harbour.

Mr. Nason, Labour, also supported Mr. Daly's election, and said that his schemes were not wild-cat schemes.

Mr. Daly, in taking the chair, said that members had only weeks to consider their position, and did not take much trouble to find a candidate. He wrote to Mr. Haughton, an old and valued member of the Board, and one of the Southern minority, asking him if he was prepared to be a candidate, but, unfortunately, Mr. Haughton could not see his way to do it.

SKERRY'S SCHOOL,

10 Harcourt street, Dublin, provides Specialised Tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Bookkeeping, etc. The most up-to-date Commercial School in Ireland. Shorthand Speed Classes to suit all rates. Proficient Students assisted to situations. 1,250 Certificates in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping obtained by Students of the School since January, 1919.—(Advt.)

HIT BY THE FALL OF THE MARK.

PLIGHT OF INVESTORS IN GERMANY.

WORKMEN NOT FEELING THE PINCH.

Mr. W. A. Appleton, who has just returned from a recent visit to Germany, says that his primary question put to various people in places as far apart as Dusseldorf, Cologne, Berlin, and Coburg were—Can Germany pay the indemnities fixed at Versailles and at Sevres?

Previous to entering Germany he had bluntly asked Professor Bruins, the Dutch economist, whether he or any other economic expert engaged in fixing the terms of the indemnities had ever anticipated the awful depreciation of the mark.

His answer was an emphatic "No."

He also asked whether any of these experts had fully realised the effect on Germany's productive and paying capacities—of the territorial losses in that part of Poland she had formerly dominated, in Silesia and in the Ruhr. Again his answer was in the negative.

Thus at the outset of his inquiries he was faced with two circumstances not appreciated, or not fully appreciated by those who fixed the indemnities, but which profoundly affect Germany's ability to pay.

The first was the reduced value of the mark—from 20 to the £ to 20,000 is an awful drop. The second was the reduced value of Germany's natural resources.

In Germany as in England inflation has seriously depressed the living standards of the professional classes, and of those who had pensions or returns from investments.

Their incomes have remained stationary, or have risen only slightly, while the costs of the things they desire to purchase have increased almost a thousandfold.

Trade unions have hitherto maintained a rough though imperfect balance between wages and the mark, and this has prevented the manual worker—when he is in full employment—from feeling the pinch of poverty too acutely.

It is expected, however, that when the mark goes a little further to the bad the maintenance of this balance will become impossible.

It is also expected that unemployment, when it does come, will come with appalling suddenness and intensity.

WORLD PEACE BASIS.

WOMEN DEMAND EQUALITY OF ALL NATIONS.

A women's congress has been summoned by the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom to meet at The Hague next month for the purpose of urging the necessity for a new peace which will secure equal rights to all nations, large and small.

The new peace, it is declared in a statement issued by the conference committee, must cancel the economic clause of the present Treaties and establish them with the purpose of restoring economic prosperity to the countries of Europe and free exchange of all commodities.

Free trade should be established all the world over. The adjustment of the war debts between the Allies is a necessary part of world settlement, and universal total disarmament is called for as part of a world peace.

QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS.

MURDER OF MR. P. COSGRAVE.

In the Provisional Parliament yesterday, Mr. Gavan Duffy asked the Minister for Home Affairs what steps were being taken to bring to justice the men who shot Mr. Patrick Cosgrave at 124 James's street, Dublin, on September 30th.

Mr. O'Higgins said that diligent police inquiries were being made and all possible steps were being taken to bring Mr. Cosgrave's murderers to justice. No arrests had been made.

Replying to Mr. Thomas O'Connell, the Minister for Trade said that the night train service on the Midland Great Western Railway had been cancelled because the traffic was light and the district was in a disturbed state. The Sunday trains had been stopped because the revenue was not sufficient to meet expenses.

NEW SWISS COUNCIL.

The results of the elections to the Swiss National Council are announced. In the last Council 189 members were returned, and in the new 198. The distribution of seats resulted as follows:—Radicals, 59 (previously 59); Catholic Conservative Group, 41 (previously 41); Socialists, 43 (previously 38); Peasants and Bourgeois Party, 35 (previously 31); Liberal Conservative Group, 10 (previously 9); Political Socialist Group and Independents, 5 (previously 8); Communists, 2 (previously 3).

MUNICIPAL PENSIONS.

BELFAST WORKERS PROMOTE A SCHEME.

At the Belfast Corporation meeting yesterday, a deputation was received from the Municipal Employes' Association and the National Union of Labour with reference to superannuation.

Mr. Malcolm, who headed the deputation, urged on the Council the importance of seeking powers in the bill now being promoted for providing superannuation on a non-contributory basis for the manual workers of the Corporation.

He spoke on behalf of men who had from 20 to 45 years' service. Three other cities had adopted such a scheme.

The Lord Mayor said that he looked upon the matter as a much more serious one than the member of the deputation did, because, sooner or later, it would involve enormous expense. Therefore, he thought that the Council were right in asking for an actuarial report into the whole question.

Subsequently Alderman Boyd moved that power be sought to grant weekly pensions or allowances to persons in the employment of the Corporation who are paid by weekly wages, the conditions to be adopted from the Local Officers' Superannuation Act, 1869.

Councillor Campbell, in seconding, said that he saw no reason why the man who got a cheque every month should be pensioned and the man who got a week's pay should be thrown on the scrap-heap. The matter of getting an actuarial report was the merest subterfuge to hold the matter up until it was too late for the bill. Let them get the powers and inquire afterwards into the actuarial matters, or decide on the broad issue and say that they were not going to do it.

Councillor T. E. Alexander supported the resolution. He believed that the Corporation should be compelled to provide a pension scheme for workmen, and not only the Corporation, but private firms.

Alderman Boyd's motion was agreed to unanimously.

IRISH COMPENSATION CASES.

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three or four or five years the nation could not afford it.

Mr. Johnson said that he was prepared to agree to the words, "directly consequential on such destruction."

Mr. Hogan said that if they admitted consequential damage on the one side they must have it on the other, and what was the bill going to be like? Was a hundred millions going to cover it? And where were they to get the money for land purchase? There were a lot of landless men in the country looking for farms, and land purchase must be completed. Where was the money to come from? It would be out of the question to entertain the amendment.

Mr. Johnson called for a division, and his amendment was rejected by 36 votes to 13.

Mr. Davin asked why the Government were not dealing in a legitimate way with the Catholics of the six counties whom their forces were not able to protect.

The President, who was imperfectly heard, said that a communication had been made to them in the first instance with reference to the refugees in England, and they accepted liability for affording protection to them; and in the same letter they accepted liability for affording protection to all citizens, and they made claims upon behalf of those people to whom Sir James Craig was not able to afford protection.

He understood that the number of refugees in England exceeded the number of refugees from the North, and he believed that in the cases of refugees from all the counties some of them were cases which were not strictly *bona fide*.

IMPARTIAL.

In so far as they were concerned for the Government, as they were aware, they knew no order in the country, for every order must get protection, and even though these people were of the class that Deputy Davin had spoken of, they must all be given the full rights of citizens, and if they were deprived of their property it must be restored to them.

The cause of the complaint was, he understood, the slowness of the Shaw Commission. There was a very large number of claims, and he thought that it would have been impossible, even for that Commission sitting continuously, to have dealt expeditiously with the cases. Therefore, they had set up other machinery, and were getting more rapidly through the cases. That machinery would be much more extensive than the Shaw Commission; it had been brought in to expedite the work of the Shaw Commission, and the interests in which Deputy Davin was interested would be safeguarded.

In the awards there would be a rebuilding condition, and any other safeguards that were necessary would be inserted.

He refrained from going into any of the details, which were simply to enable the Government to get in the leams and see what class of machinery would be most suitable for dealing with them.

The motion was adopted.

THE SENATE.

ELECTION OF THIRTY MEMBERS.

Regulations dealing with the conduct of an election by Dail Eireann of thirty members for the first Senate were considered yesterday at the resumed meeting of the Provisional Parliament.

The Minister of Local Government (Mr. Blythe), in introducing the motion, pointed out that the resolutions were largely formal, and were brought forward at this stage because they looked upon the election of these thirty members of the Senate as a matter of considerable importance, as they wished to put it into the powers of deputies to make nominations immediately.

The resolutions might easily be considered and passed when the Parliament of the Free State met, but the result might be that they would have hasty nominations. Although the Constitution restricted the powers of the Senate, and although a Senate which was inclined to obstruct, would be prevented by the limitations imposed by the Constitution for doing much in the way of obstructing public business—they should not on that account think that this was a matter of little importance.

If the institution was a success the Senate might give the most valuable service to the country. There was provision for the nomination of those who would represent parties not sufficiently represented in the Dail, so that the Senate acquired the confidence of the country these nominations to it might be made the means of fusing together lines of political thought that had heretofore been hostile to one another.

There would be no benefit gained unless the Senate did its work well and gained the confidence of the country. If it did that people who had been in political disagreement with the majority of the people would have an opportunity of participating in the work of the country and giving expression to their views, and, further, of proving that they were useful servants of the country. In that way the Senate might be very useful in eliminating old differences, and bringing people to a sense of the national position that they would not otherwise get, and it would be a great means in reuniting and bringing the whole of Ireland.

The Senate would have an opportunity of considering legislation to a greater degree than the Dail would have, and it should, therefore, be a wisely constituted body. It was for that reason that they reserved the resolutions, and to avoid anything been hastily done in the matter of choosing thirty elected members. The resolutions were non-controversial, and were entirely along ordinary lines. The principle of proportional representation was embodied in the regulations, and after their passing it would be possible for deputies to put in nominations, and when the Parliament met after the Constitution came into operation it would be possible to proceed with the election. The first Senate could be constituted at once, and the Government could go on with its work without any delay.

Mr. O'Maille seconded the adoption of the regulations.

TWO ELECTORATES.

Mr. Johnson expressed the view that the regulations seemed to require some consideration from the legal side. There appeared to be two different electorates, one of which would be entitled to nominate members, and the other entitled to elect them. It would be an impossible position if deputies were nominated by men not qualified to take part in the election.

Mr. Blythe said that he did not think that that was so.

Mr. Johnson stated that it would be well to have it made clear. It would only be the members who took the oath who would be qualified to take part in the election. He suggested that the whole procedure should either be delayed the day of the coming into operation of the Constitution, or should begin after that day.

Professor Magennis suggested that when the nominations had been received a Committee should consider and classify them, and also have regard for the qualifications of the candidates.

Mr. Figgis urged that further time should be given for the consideration of the regulations, which should be submitted in the form of a Bill. There was no doubt the Senate would acquire considerable authority in the Free State, especially in the exercise of the referendum, and they should, therefore, take great care to see that those who had the right type of person. It had been suggested that the Senate would give an opportunity to minority representation, and would result in the nomination of persons known as Southern Unionists.

He did not think that anybody was seeking for a privileged position, but he thought that whoever would be elected would get elected on his own merits. He was not sure that the resolutions provided that all parties would get fair representation. If they knew, for instance, that the Chamber of Commerce had put up three members they should have some assurance that that part of the national life had been adequately represented by the appointed members.

Mr. Blythe said that Deputy Johnson's point was one that need not trouble them very much. It might be a fact that there were certain members of the House who would not continue to be members after the passing of the Constitution, but that did not seriously affect the question at all, as all that was required was that members should have the power to put names forward, and approach people who were considered suitable. The matter could not be entirely done before the Constitution came into operation. The alternative of postponing the entire business until after the passing of the Constitution had the disadvantage of tending to have the matter done eventually with a rush.

He did not think that anything had been said in the debate that would point to the necessity of going into Committee on the matter. He accepted Mr. Johnson's suggestion to have nominations received up to the day after the coming into operation of the Constitution. It was necessary to make nominations as soon as possible, and to have Deputies considering the matter.

On the suggestion of Mr. Fitzgibbon the word "attainments" was included in the form of nomination paper setting forth the qualifications of candidates.

With a slight alterations the regulations were adopted.

The Chairman mentioned that he would receive nominations in the clerk's office from to-day until the day after the Constitution comes into operation. Nomination forms were printed and were available to Deputies.

THE ADJOURNMENT.

LABOUR'S OBJECTION.

The President then proposed that they adjourn for a week in order to give the Government time to straighten many matters which required their attention.

Mr. Johnson protested against the House being called together and then being asked to adjourn for a week. He thought that it was hardly fair to the deputies. It seemed to be treating them with levity, especially deputies who came from the country. Could they not go on from day to day and then adjourn for a week if circumstances made it necessary? The Government should give them some indication of what class of business would be taken up when they reassembled and how long they would probably sit.

The President said that his idea was to adjourn for a fortnight, but his colleagues were in favour of a week. If Deputy Johnson wished, he would accept a fortnight.

Mr. Johnson said that if they were summoned only for the sake of a formal meeting, then they would have to make business, for they thought that the President should see that the House was provided with work to do. If not, they would have to force discussions upon all kinds of matters

THE MAIN FACT.

Mr. O'Higgins said that it was the business of the Opposition to oppose to a certain extent, and to criticise; but they should keep their eye on the fact that the Parliament existed for the country and the doing of the business of the country, and that there was no intrinsic virtue in coming together and talking; for it was the doing of the business that counted, and in times like the present there must be a sense of proportion.

They ought to be the best judges of the fact as to whether they were doing the urgent business of the country better there than in the supervision of their departments, where a thousand and one things required to be done, and done urgently.

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THE COMMISSIONS.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANABLE CREDITS SCARCE.

It had been hoped that at the turn of the month the monetary position would become more comfortable, but it so happened that there was a considerable turnover in funds, and, with weekly balancing in progress, a great deal of tension prevailed. Indeed, it was feared that recourse to the Bank would be necessary, but this was avoided after night money had been commanding well over 2 p.c. The minimum appeared to be 2 p.c., with fixtures being renewed at 1½ p.c., as a rule.

Bank Rate (Discount charged) July 13, 1922, 3%

60 days (fine)	2½	2½		
3 months	2½	2½	Trade	3 3½
4 months	2½	2½	"	3 3½
6 months	2½	2½	"	3½
Loans to brokers day-to-day				3
" for a week				1½
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				1½
" Discount houses, at call				1
" " at notice				1½

Inactivity prevailed in discounts, which, however, were not particularly firm, owing to the belief that money would become easier. Fine three months bank bills were 2⅛-2¼ p.c., with the lower rate, perhaps the more effective, while six months' dates were 2⅜-2½. The new Treasuries were nominally 2⅛ p.c., with very few changing hands. December bills were still being taken by special quarters at 2¼ in smaller quantities.

Gold fell 1d. to 92s. 5d. per oz. Bar silver remained at 35 3/16d. per oz. for spot and 35 7/16d. for forward delivery.

With some of the Continental Bourses closed, there was a lack of animation in the foreign exchanges, and business was small. The tendency generally, however, was rather better, but a reaction followed later on. French francs appreciated to a slight extent, being 62.95, reacting to 63.80, Belgium being 68.20, while Italy enjoyed a further sharp recovery to 104½-105¼, closing 105½. German marks were rather doubtful at 20,100-20,300, while sterling was comparatively steady on New York at 4.45¾-4.45¾, with Holland dull at 11.40-11.40¼. There was a slight rally in Switzerland to 24.63-24.66, but Norwegian kroner were cheaper at 24.39-24.44, Sweden remaining at 16.60-16.62. Lisbon recovered to 34-34, but Brazil was heavy at 6¼-6⅝, with Argentine dull at 43⅛-44¼. Rupees kept firm at 1s. 3 11/16d.-1s. 3 13/16d. Chili advanced to 33.00. Vienna was quoted 330,000-850,000, Poland 58,000-63,000, Prague 141-143. The following are closing quotations:—

	November 1.	October 31.	Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛	97⅛	97¾
Amsterdam	11.39¼	11.40¼	11.39¾ 11.40	12.10
B. Ayres	43½	44¼	43½ 44¼	47.68
Barcelona	29.21	29.23	29.21 29.24	25.22
Berlin	20,100	20,300	20,400 20,600	20.40
Bombay	1/3 5/16	1/3 9/16	1/3 5/16 1/3 9/16	1/4
Brussels	68.15	68.25	68.00 68.10	25/22¼
Calcutta	1/3 5/16	1/3 9/16	1/3 5/16 1/3 9/16	1/4
Christiana	24.39	24.44	24.52 24.57	18.15
Copenhagen	22.10	22.20	22.00 22.10	18.15
Czecho-Slov	140	145	139 144	
Finland	173	175	170 184	25.22½
Greece	220	225	218 223	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/5⅛	2/6	2/5⅛ 2/6	
Hungary	10,500	11,500	10,500 11,500	
Italy	105¼	105⅝	116¾ 118⅝	25.22½
Lisbon	34⅜	34⅝	34⅜ 34⅝	53/16¼
Madrid	29.16	29.21	29.20 29.25	25.22½
Mexico	26½		26¼ 26¾	24/16¼
Montreal	4.44⅜	4.45⅜	4.44⅜ 4.44⅜	4.86
Montevideo	41⅛	42⅜	41⅛ 42⅜	51/6
New York	4.45⅜	4.46	4.45⅜ 4.46	4.86
Paris	63.35	63.45	63.00 63.10	25.22
Poland	58,000	63,000	61,000 63,000	
Rio de Janeiro	6¼	6⅜	6⅜ 6⅝	16d.
Roumania	720	730	710 720	
Shanghai	8/3⅛	8/4⅛	8/3⅜ 8/4⅛	2/-
Singapore	2/4⅜	2/4⅝	2/4⅜	2/4⅛
Stockholm	16.60	16.65	16.62 16.65	18.15
Switzerland	24.60	24.65	24.70 24.75	25.22
Valparaiso	33.00		32.90	13.33
Vienna	320,000	350,000	320,000 340,000	
Yokohama	2/1⅛	2/2⅛	2/1⅛ 2/2	24.5d

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 20,000.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

AGAR CROSS.—Final dividend at rate of 16 p.c. per annum.

STANDARD INSURANCE.—Dividend of 9d. per share, making 1/6 per share.

DORADA EXTENSION RAILWAY.—Dividend at the rate of 5 p.c. for the year.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN BANK.—Usual dividend of 6 p.c. per share.

FASSIFERN COAL.—Dividend for the year of 10 per cent., free of tax.

BRISTOL UNITED BREWERIES.—Final dividend of 2/- per share.

S. AND W. BERISFORD.—Final dividend on Ord. of 10 per cent.

J. HEY AND CO.—Final dividend on Ordinary Shares of 10 per cent., and bonus of 5 per cent.

CAROLINA TEA OF CEYLON.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., less tax.

CEYLON PROPRIETARY TEA ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary.

CHUBWAI TEA.—Interim dividends of 3½ per cent. on Preference, and 10 per cent. on Ordinary Shares, both less tax.

MONTH'S HIRE GAS AND DEY DOCK.—Interim dividend on Ord. Stock for half-year of 2 per cent., actual, free of tax.

ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.—Directors recommend dividend of 12 p.c. per annum for half-year and bonus of 2 p.c. for year.

DRUMMOND AND COMPANY.—Directors recommend dividend of 10 p.c. on Ord., and £4,467 forward. Reserve fund stands at £30,000.

NORTH OF SCOTLAND MILLING.—Dividends payable one-half on November 11, and other half on May 15, 1923 on Preference Shares at rate of 6 per cent, per annum, on Ordinary at rate of 10 per cent. per annum, and also a bonus of 5 per cent. on Ordinary Shares, all less tax.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

In view of the continued wild inflation that is going on in Germany little surprise is felt at the renewed tumble in the mark to fresh low records almost daily. According to the latest advices from Berlin, Germany's shooting debt in ten days increased by 52,443,960,000 marks, and on October 20 totalled no less than 619,643,000,000 marks. The funding debt was 64,425,000,000 marks, and both debts together 684,068,000,000 marks, or 139-fold the debt of 4,918,000,000 marks of March, 1914. Such a position is causing serious uneasiness in financial circles, and it is little wonder that holders of mark notes are rushing to sell at almost any price obtainable.

In the "Board of Trade Journal" of yesterday the schedules of the new Anglo-Spanish Treaty, which affect the duties on British exports into Spain are given in full. It is hoped to publish in next week's issue of the journal the official text of the treaty, which was signed at Madrid on October 31, and comes into force on November 6.

Advices from Cobalt state that the mines have all resumed operations at full blast after the ten days' enforced idleness caused by the destruction of part of the power transmission line in the bush fires of October 4. The brief delay will cause a lower production of silver during October, but the preparatory work carried out during the interval warrants the expectation that the November output will reach the highest figures for any one month this year.

The following circular is issued from 3 Old Jewry, London, E.C., signed (for Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa, Ltd.) J. Bradshaw (Joint Secretary), Karl Ellers, Charles E. Finney:—"In view of the fact that we have not received sufficient support to warrant the continuance of our offer to shareholders of the Mazapil Copper Co., Ltd., and of the antagonistic attitude adopted at the informal meeting of shareholders held in Manchester on October 24th, we have now no alternative but to return the signed forms of option on shares which certain shareholders have kindly given to us. We accordingly hereby withdraw the offer contained in our letters of September 12th, 1922, and regret that we are thus unable, to include the Mazapil Copper Co. in our proposed consolidation."

The directors of Ridgeways, Limited, say, in a circular to Ordinary shareholders:—A conditional offer has been made by the Imperial and Foreign Corporation to purchase your shares at £4 apiece on the terms that you will receive a dividend on the shares and interest on the price as explained in the enclosed documents; which set out the details in full. The actual amount that will be payable on January 2, 1923, for each £1 Ordinary Share will be £4, plus approximately 2/6 net; after deduction of income tax in respect of dividend and interest.

The directors of the Star Tea Company have issued a circular to the Preference Shareholders containing proposals for reorganisation of the company's capital and the purchase by the company through the Imperial and Foreign Corporation of Ordinary Shares in Ridgways, Limited, which Corporation has for many years owned the Ordinary Shares and thus controlled it. In return for allowing the Preference Shares to be increased to £500,000 on additional 1 per cent. is offered, making the dividend 7 per cent.

TRAFFICS.

Underground Group (Common Fund Companies)—Week ended October 28, £327,579 dec. £398. London and Suburban Traction Group—Week ended October 21, £41,876—dec. £8,976. Mexican Railway—September, net 245,709 dols.—dec. 142,700 dols. Brazilian Traction, Light, and Power—September, net 11,584,000 milreis—inc. 2,950,000 milreis. Nizams State Railways—Week to October 7, Hyderabad Godavery Valley, Rs.87,610—inc. Rs.28,094. Secunderabad Gadag, Rs. 7,588—dec. Rs.446. Wardi Hemadi, Rs.5,162—inc. Rs.2,613. Argentine North-Eastern Railway—Week to October 28, £9,800—dec. £2,600. United Railways of the Havana, £76,955—inc. £1,760. Antofagasta and Bolivia, £39,280—inc. £15,740. Entre Rios, £13,700—inc. £1,500. Central Uruguay, £27,163—inc. £4,486; ditto Eastern, £5,579—inc. £1,031; ditto Northern, £2,805—dec. £40; ditto Western, £3,006—inc. £744. B.A. and Pacific, £138,000—inc. £35,000. Great North of Scotland, £16,460. Central Argentine, £188,000—inc. £48,000. Leopoldina, £53,841—inc. £2,252. B.A. Great Southern, £63,000—inc. £58,000. B.A. Western, net £33,000—inc. £30,000. London and North Western, £738,000. North London, £14,068. Great Western, £596,000. London and South-Western, £165,000. Great Northern, £217,000. Dublin and South-Eastern, £10,363. Highland, £26,489. Great Eastern, £308,400. Belfast and County Down, £6,203. South-Eastern and Chatham, £160,200. Argentine Transandine, £5,500—inc. £1,570.

IRISH TRAFFICS.

Midland Great Western Railway of Ireland—Week ending October 27, 1922—Passengers, parcels, etc., and mails, etc., £11,044; merchandise, £16,708; live stock, £6,090; miscellaneous, £900. Total for week—£35,037. Aggregate receipts to date, £1,081,659.

NEW BARRISTERS CALLED.

Photo by [*Lafayette.*

The picture shows the new barristers who were called yesterday at the King's Inns, Henrietta street, Dublin. Front Row:—H. Hare, J. J. Walsh, B. Maginess, R. Brereton Barry, Captain Kavanagh. Back Row:—C. A. Maguire, T. G. A. Burke, D. J. O'Sullivan.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

WAKEFIELD, Wednesday.—Larger supplies of all kinds, with a steady trade. Small sheep and lambs 1/5 to 1/5½ per lb., heavy sheep 1/3 to 1/4, ewes 10d. to 1/5, tups 8d. Best beef 10d. to 11d. per lb., fat cows and bulls 8d. to 9d. Beasts 413, sheep 1,200.

EDINBURGH, Wednesday.—Good selling trade for sheep, and prices slightly higher. Heavyweight ewe lambs to 75/6, halfbred wedder lambs 54/6, Oxford lambs 58/-. Cheviot ewes 44/-. Irish bullocks to £39 10/-, and best Cumberland cows to £47.

GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Lighter supplies of Scotch cattle and Irish in average numbers; quality only fair. All classes met steady demand at fully late rates. Sheep also lighter numbers, and good quality scarce. A fair demand, however, experienced for all classes of dead meat. Best Scotch beef 1/1, Irish 9d. to 10d., best Scotch lambs 1/2½ to 1/3½, black-faced lambs 1/2.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Wednesday.—WHEAT.—Cargo market dull and prices weak. No. 1 Manitoba Nov.-Dec. Atlantic ports sellers 61/-, Pacific ports 59/-, Rosafe 63/6, afloat 61/9, and 62½lbs. Jan.-Feb 48/3. Parcels lower and slow. No. 1 Manitoba Oct.-Nov. sellers 49/6, and Nov.-Dec. sold 49/- and 48/6. MAIZE.—Cargoes quiet and easy. Plate steamers afloat 37/6 sellers, Oct.-Nov. and Nov.-Dec. 35/10½. A part cargo, 4,000 tons Oct.-Nov. Plate sold 35/3, and 2,000 tons Jan.-Feb. do. 35/9 to Bristol Channel. Parcels easier. Plate Oct.-Nov. sellers at 35/1½ and Dec.-Jan. 35/3 per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet, unaltered for cargoes and parcels. OATS quiet. Plate f.a.q. Nov.-Dec. sellers 24/-, and Jan.-Feb. 23/3.

MARK LANE, Wednesday.—English WHEAT fully steady; whites delivered up 45/6 to 48/- and reds 45/6 to 48/-, per 504lbs. Foreign grades maintained: No. 1 Northern Manitoba 56/- to 56/6 ex ship, No. 2 hard winter 56/3 to 56/6 ex ship, and Rosafe 53/9 to 55/6 ex ship. FLOUR—Home milled 2nd. dearer. Foreign imported steady. Canadian exports patents 39/- to 43/6 ex store, Minneapolis 1st patents 43/6 to 44/- ex store. Ichabo standard straight run 42/- ex mill, and Australian patents 39/6 to 40/6 ex store. GRIND-ING BARLEY steady. Odessa No. 2 Coast 20/- to 25/-, seconds 10/- to 15/-, smalls 5/- to 7/6 per lot of 12. Large sizes 30/- to 40/-, mediums 20/- to 30/-, and slips 10/- to 15/-, per 448lbs. Plate 8/- to 8/- each, brill 6d. to 4/- each, plaice large per 4 6/- to 8/-, mediums per 8 5/- to 6/-, slips per 16 box 30/- to 80/-, whiting 20/- to 30/-, ray 20/- to 30/- per half box. Herrings averaged 20/- per box, and 40/- per barrel. All above met with a good demand.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Wednesday.—Supply moderate. Demand fair. Soles and slips 1/6 to 2/- per lb., live eels 15/- to 25/-, dead 12/- to 20/- per draft; turbot and brill 8/- to 10/-, plaice 9/- to 11/-, halibut 13/- to 14/-, lemon soles 12/- to 16/-, conger eels 6/- to 7/-, cod 5/- to 7/-, whiting 3/- to 5/-, hake 10/- to 11/-, garnet 2/6, bream 3/-, haddock 3/- to 5/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Wednesday.—SUGAR—Previous prices were repeated respecting refined goods on the spot, but with regard to British and imported, while a moderate amount of business was effected. Refining rawa very sparingly offered and quotations remain largely nominal. American gran. spot sellers 50/-, white Java 48/- to 48/9, as to sample. Terminal market quiet; white, Dec. sold 21/1½, May 21/4½ per cwt. COFFEE held for steady prices, but general trade proceeds quietly. Future delivery market quiet: Dec. quoted 62/4½, Mar. 60/4½, May 60/1½ cwt. COCOA in quiet request and generally unaltered. TEA—In auction about 18,000 pkgs. Indian were brought forward, and started good competition at full to occasionally dearer prices. Pekoe sold 1/6½ to 2/0½, broken do. 1/6½ to 1/8½, orange 1/6 to 2/6½, Pekoe Souchong 1/5½ to 1/7½, broken orange Pekoe 1/6½ to 2/0½ per lb. RICE steady; two stars spot 15/3 to 15/6, Nov. 14/-, Rangoon basis, 4 at 5 Japanese nos. 15/6 to 16/-, Dec.-Jan. 25/6 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper market quietly steady; fair black Singapore, spot 53d. Dec. Feb. 52d., Shipp. prompt 54d. Tellicherry 54d. Cayenne 43s. Cassia 44d., white Singapore 8d., Manilla 6d. do. Dec.-Feb. 5½d. Zanzibar cloves, Oct.-Dec. value 6d. CLOVES 7½d. TAPIOCA, spot 2 9-16d. fair. Fair Penang seed, spot, 21/6. Desiccated coconut, spot 37/-. In auction 200 cases dull and nominal offered and sold at 30/- to 32/- per cwt. for off colour. Sago flour, Oct.-Dec. 12/4½, Nov.-Jan. 12/3 cwt. JUTE—Market steady, with moderate inquiries; first grade, Nov.-Dec. usual delivery, buyers 23/1 do. Dec.-Jan. 23/1 10/-. Splinting grade, Dec.-Jan. 22/9 10/- tons c.i.f. No. 1 cossimas, spot grade 21/- per 100 yards. HEMP—Manilla steady in value but trade is quiet; G grade, Oct.-Dec. quoted £34, H £33 10/-, J £30 15/-, K £29 15/-, L £29, M £28 per ton. New Zealand dull, unaltered. African sisal steady, quiet. SHELLAC—Market stronger, and second orange on spot was freely absorbed at 350/-; TN. Dec. quoted 325/-, March 295/- cwt. COPRA in moderate request, and market steady. P.M.S. Straits, Dec.-Jan. Rotterdam sold £24 9/6, Nov.-Jan. £24 5/6 Dec.-Feb. sellers £24 5/-; Ceylon, Nov.-Jan. quoted £25 7/6, Dec.-Jan. £25 2/6, and Dec.-Feb. £24 17/6. East Indies £24 5/6. Cochin £25 16/3. South Sea £23, mixed, excluding Padang, at £22 17/6. PALM KERNELS, Dec.-Feb. Liverpool £17 3/9 ton. RUBBER slightly unsettled and easier weaker. Moderate sales include standard plantation on spot at 1/6d. Dec. 1/5d. Jan.-March 1/5d. April-June 1/4d. Arnhems 12d. to 12½d. To New York—Standard sheet European spots, Dec.-Jan. 12d. c.i. and f.; fine hard Para, spot 13⅛d., soft 12d. ball 12d. TALLOW—In auction some 1,759 casks Australasian were offered, and with strong demand all cleared at an average advance of 10/- per cwt. Mutton, fine, sold at 39/- to 43/9, beef 39/- to 45/6, mixed fair to good 36/- to 41/6. OILS—Linseed easier; spot 40/-, Dec. 37/6, Jan.-April 33/9. Rape, Cotton, Coconut Castor, etc., unaltered. Turpentine firmer; American spot 125/-, Nov.-Dec. 123/6, Jan.-April 120/6. Petroleum, Nov.-Dec. sellers at 6⅛ 1/8s. Chinese do. 6/7 1/8. Plate do. 6/7 6/8. Jan.-Feb. 6/5. Spirits of TURPENTINE—Yarwood ruled quiet; Yards, Nov.-Dec. 6/8, Jan.-Feb. at 6/6 10/-; Jamie, Nov.-Dec. 6/3 10/-. Cottonseed steady; Firpoint blocks, Nov.-Dec. quoted £10 7/6, white £9 17/6; Bombay, Dec.-Jan. £8 5/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—TALLOW firm, and there is a moderate inquiry experienced.

CLYDE CRUISED SUGAR (Official), Wednesday.—Market steady, with a moderate demand.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LEICESTER WOOL, Wednesday.—All kinds of wool are firm, the best short wools making as much as 1/7 per 7, broad gauge, Rs.16,098—dec. Rs.4,458. Hyderabad Godavery Valley, Rs.87,610—inc. Rs.28,094. Secunderabad Gadag, Rs. 7,588—dec. Rs.446. Wardi Hemadi, Rs.5,162—inc. Rs.2,613. Argentine North-Eastern Railway—Week to October 28, £9,800—dec. £2,600. United Railways of the Havana, £76,955—inc. £1,760. Antofagasta and Bolivia, £39,280—inc. £15,740. Entre Rios, £13,700—inc. £1,500. Central Uruguay, £27,163—inc. £4,486; ditto Eastern, £5,579—inc. £1,031; ditto Northern, £2,805—dec. £40; ditto Western, £3,006—inc. £744. B.A. and Pacific, £138,000—inc. £35,000. Great North of Scotland, £16,460. Central Argentine, £188,000—inc. £48,000. Leopoldina, £53,841—inc. £2,252. B.A. Great Southern, £63,000—inc. £58,000. B.A. Western, net £33,000—inc. £30,000. London and North Western, £738,000. North London, £14,068. Great Western, £596,000. London and South-Western, £165,000. Great Northern, £217,000. Dublin and South-Eastern, £10,363. Highland, £26,489. Great Eastern, £308,400. Belfast and County Down, £6,203. South-Eastern and Chatham, £160,200. Argentine Transandine, £5,500—inc. £1,570.

IRISH TRAFFICS.

Midland Great Western Railway of Ireland—Week ending October 27, 1922—Passengers, parcels, etc., and mails, etc., £11,044; merchandise, £16,708; live stock, £6,090; miscellaneous, £900. Total for week—£35,037. Aggregate receipts to date, £1,081,659.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

Stocks opened irregular. The cessation of liquidation of special Stocks caused numerous advances, ranging from 1 to 3 points, but short selling was renewed at other points. The creation of new low levels for the present movement in Steel Common, Bethlehem Steel, Baldwin Locomotive, and other leaders brought a general decline and later investment. Railroads were offered more freely, and foreign Oils became acutely weak. Steel Corporation Shares were affected by the disappointing quarterly earnings' statement. After a partial late rally on covering the market closed irregular.

Eng. Parity	STOCKS.	Closing Bid Prices		Business Done.	
		Tues	Wed	H.	L.
114½	Funded	103¾	103¾	—	—
117¼	U.S. New 4½ Loan	103	103	—	—
115	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	107	107½	—	—
103⅛	Do. Preference	92	92	—	—
116⅞	Do. 4½ Con. Bonds	104¾	104¾	—	—
54⅞	Baltimore and Ohio	50	49¾	—	—
139⅛	Canadian Pacific	142¾	142¾	—	—
67⅝	Chesapeake and Ohio	72	73¼	—	—
31⅜	Chic. Mil. & St. Paul.	27½	28¾	—	—
97⅛	Chicago and N.-West.	87½	87	—	—
130⅝	Do. Pref.	122	122	—	—
22⅛	Erie 1st Preferred	19¾	19¾	—	—
54⅛	Do. 4 Ges. Lien Bds	49	49	—	—
101⅜	Great Northern Pref.	89¾	89½	—	—
123⅛	Illinois Central	111	112¾	—	—
74⅛	Lehigh Valley	68½	68½	—	—
150⅜	Louisville & Nashville	134¾	134	—	—
10⅝	Minn. St. Kan. & Texas	9	9	—	—
	Do. 2nd 4½ Gd.	Nom.	Nom.		
20⅝	Missouri Pacific New	18¾	18	—	—
84	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	5	5	—	—
6⅜	Do. 2nd Preferred	3½	3½	—	—
103⅜	N.Y. Cit. & Hudson R.	97⅜	97	—	—
132⅛	Norfolk & West. Com.	118	118⅝	—	—
89⅝	Northern Pacific	82¾	83	—	—
23⅜	Ontario and Western	20	20	—	—
33⅜	Pennsylvania Shares	29	29	—	—
93⅜	Reading Shares	79⅞	80⅜	—	—
47⅜	Do. 1st Preferred	42½	41	—	—
50⅜	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	41	41	—	—
24⅜	Southern Pacific	21	21	—	—
102¾	Southern Pacific	91¾	91¾	—	—
135⅛	Texas and Pacific	114¾	115	—	—
181	Union Pacific	163¾	163¾	—	—
85⅝	Do. Pref.	76	76¼	—	—
102⅝	Do. 4 Bonds	91¼	91¼	—	—
11⅞	Wabash Common	10	9¾	—	—
32	Do. Preferred A	28⅝	28⅝	—	—
61⅛	Amr. Smelt. Refin. Com.	54	54	—	—
52⅛	Anaconda Copper	47	47	—	—
20⅜	Brit. Amer. Tobacco	18⅝	18⅝	—	—
61⅝	Cons. Gas	133⅝	133⅝	—	—
194⅛	General Electric	175	173	—	—
116⅜	U.S. Steel Common	104⅜	104⅛	—	—
125⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	103⅝	103⅝	—	—
114⅜	Do. 2nd Preferred	102⅜	102⅜	—	—
	Silver (Foreign Mined)	67	67	—	—
	Do. (U.S. Mined) Ref.	66¼	66¼	—	—
13⅛	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	11⅝	11⅝	—	—
58⅜	Do. Prefd Certs.	50⅜	52	—	—
61⅝	Royal Dutch Oil	143¾	143¾	—	—
40⅝	Shell Transport	36⅞	36⅞	—	—
245⅜	Mexican Petroleum	222	220	—	—
98⅛	Pan-American Pet.	85½	85½	—	—
135⅛	Genera Motors	133⅛	133⅛	—	—
57⅛	U.S. Rubber	51⅝	51	—	—

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

	Tuesday.	Wednesday
Call Money	5½% 5%	6% 6½%
Ex. on U.S. Demand	4.45.14	4.45.30
Ex. on La Demand Bills	4.45 3/4	4.45.80
Cable Transfers	4.46.02¼	4.46.75
Ex. on Paris	7.62	7.71¾
Ex. on Berlin	2¾	2½
Cotton, Mid. Upland	24.50	24.48
Do., New Orleans, Mid.	27.82	Holiday
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum		
Yellow Spot	8.79	8.60
Do., Futures	8.72	8.69
Petro., Refined, in cases	16.50	16.25
Do., Standard White	13.25	13.25
Do., Crude	13.25	13.25
Do., Pennsyl. Crude	3.00	3.00
Spirits of Turpentine	102	104
Rosin	154–155½	156
Resin, Grade K	5.75	5.65
Do., Grade F	5.85	5.62½
Lard, Prime West. Steam	11.45	11.40
Do., Midland West.	11.65–11.15	11.00–11.1)
Tallow, Extra	8½	8¼
Sugar, New Cuban	5.53	5.53
Corn, West., No 2 Mix	85	87
Wheat, No. 2 Hd Win	138	139¼
Do., No. 2 Red Win	121	123¼
Do., No. 2 Mix Dm	121	123¼
Coffee, Rio No. 7	10½	10½
Do., Santos, Cleaning	5.75–8.25	5.75–8.25
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry	31.00–32.0	29.00–30.00
Tin, Straits	32.12½	
Lead, New York	7.12½	7.12½
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	13¾–13⅞	13¾–13⅞
Do., Futures, July	13¾–14	13¾–14
Prime Mess Beef, Chicago		
U. Kingdom, per bushel	2/9	2/9
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per qr.	13	13
Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density)	25	25
Do., Stand. (per 100lb.)	47	40

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

WHEAT on the spot firm, with winters 1½c. and mixed Durum 3½c. higher. Sixty boatloads of wheat were taken to-day for export. Receipts-Atlantic, 1,058,000, last year 720,000; clearances 452,000, last year 127,000. The week's export clearances from the Atlantic seaboard are as follows:—Wheat, 743,000 bushels; corn, 3,066,000; oats, 1,012,000; flour, 312,000 barrels. The estimated corn yield by Mr. Snow is 2,800,000,000 and the farm reserves 150,000,000. Messrs. Clement, Curtis, and Co. estimate the corn yield at 2,792,000,000 and the farm reserves at 184,000,000 bushels.

FLOUR firm.

CORN—Spot firm at 1c. rise. Export engagements—Corn, 10, oats 15, and rye 95 boatloads. Receipts—Atlantic 245,000, last year 71,000; clearances 656,000, last year nil.

OATS firm, 1c. to 1½c. higher. No. 2 mixed, spot, 69¾. December, 68¼; May, 68¾; July, 67¾.

OATS firm, ½c. to ¾c. up. December, 42¼; May, 42; July, 39¾.

PROVISIONS opened barely steady, and had a featureless and dragging session, the market closing dull, with lard and ribs unchanged. Lard—January, 9.57½; March, 9.75; May, 9.90. Pork unquoted. Ribs—January, 8.75.

COFFEE opened weak, 50 points down to unchanged. The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since November 1 (new season), have been 6,000, against 184,000 for the same season last year.

HOGS steady, 10 points up to unchanged for light and medium, weak for heavy sorts.

	HOGS.	
Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted Loose.	Light. Heavy.
To-day	10.00 12.00	8.35 8.40 8.00 8.50
Prev. day	11.00 12.00	8.15 8.40 8.00 8.50

EDINBURGH AND LEITH WOOL SALES.

At these sales on Tuesday and yesterday there was a fair attendance of buyers. The demand for half-breds was good, and a good clearance was made at 3 per cent. above August rates. There was keen competition for the finer lots of Cheviots, and the bulk of these wools was sold at 2 to 7½ per cent. above August prices. Crossbreds were neglected.

BOMB OUTRAGES IN CORK.

TIPPERARY TRAIN WRECKING.

HOW CLIFDEN WAS TAKEN.

Two bombs were thrown at National soldiers in Patrick street, Cork, yesterday, but only one exploded. Two officers were wounded by fragments of the bomb.

Motor cars have been banned by the Republicans in the Dungarvan district of County Waterford.

From Kerry it is reported that the National troops have arrested several members of the Cumann na mBan.

CORK DISTRICT.

SOLDIERS BOMBED.

NARROW ESCAPES AND AN EXCITING CHASE.

In Patrick street yesterday, says our Cork Correspondent, there was yet another bomb outrage. It occurred shortly before one o'clock. The street was crowded at the time and a great deal of excitement prevailed. Two officers were injured—neither seriously—but no civilians were hit. Two arrests were made.

The attack was made on a Ford motor car containing three officers and a driver.

Owing to the congestion of traffic the car had to be stopped, but when there was a clearance the driver restarted. He had gone only a short distance when, opposite Messrs. Alcock's, bombs were thrown at it. The explosion terrified the people. Pedestrians rushed to the nearest shops and places of shelter, while the occupants of the car jumped out, and, with drawn revolvers, made a

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BUILDING AND RECONSTRUCTION.

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PROPOSED MUNICIPAL OFFICES, DUBLIN.

Now that the subject of providing Dublin with suitable public offices for the various departments is so much discussed, it is interesting to reproduce the above elevation of the proposed municipal offices for Dublin, the plans for which were completed in April, 1913, but owing to the outbreak of the European War were never carried out.

The competition, inaugurated by the Dublin Corporation, was restricted to Irish architects, and nineteen designs were sent to the then President of the Institute of Architects, Mr. A. E. Murray, R.H.A., who acted as assessor.

The architects whose plans were selected were Messrs. McDonnell and Reid (now McDonnell and Dixon), 20 Ely place, Dublin.

A condition of the competition was that the cost must not exceed £55,000.

The site had a frontage of 331 feet towards Lord Edward street, and of 357 feet towards Castle street, and of 67 feet towards Cork Hill.

The chief problem for the competing architect was the retention or demolition of the existing premises at the eastern end of the site. This building was erected by Thomas Ivory in 1781. It is an imposing structure of Portland stone, and of sufficient historic and architectural interest to warrant its retention. The winning design leaves the existing building untouched, except for a few internal alterations.

In order to produce a simple ground plan it was obvious that a central corridor was desirable, but the difficulty was to provide ample lighting for this corridor.

To achieve this the floors over were set back from the corridor walls, so that direct continuous top lighting became possible for the central corridor on the ground floor, and still gave ample direct lighting to the corridors on the upper floors

By this arrangement it was found possible to provide space for all the principal offices used by the public on the ground floor, and the advantage of this arrangement is obvious. The principal entrance is in the main frontage towards Lord Edward street through a vestibule and entrance hall with access to the floors over by lifts in a central position.

The main feature consists of an Ionic Tetra style portico, on either side of which are three wings, separated by pilasters, and a projection with deeply recessed windows.

This central feature is rendered more effective by the simple treatment of the wings.

In the centre of the frontage there is a clock tower, 128 feet high, which gives dignity to the entire design.

The building was designed for a frontage of Irish granite, with Portland stone dressings, a combination used with charming effect in most of the old buildings in Dublin. Green slates were designed for the roof.

RENT RESTRICTION AND HOUSE-BUILDING.

Builders who have been hoping that with the expiration of the Rent Restriction Act in June next year better times would return to the trade will not find much encouragement in the report of the Commission appointed by the British Government to deal with the matter some time ago.

In an interim report the Commission expresses the opinion that the protection of tenants against eviction and unreasonable increases of rent should not be withdrawn when the Act expires in June, 1923. A number of other matters have not yet been considered by the Commission, but it is the main principle of the Act with which the builder is concerned, and the difficulties which it puts in the way of the private builder are well known. It is the speculative builder who must be relied on to ultimately make up the deficiency in houses, and it is felt that he will not re-enter the field so long as the property owner is restricted by law in the matter of rent.

Definite promises have been given by Mr. Kevin O'Higgins in the Dail, on behalf of the Government of Southern Ireland, and by Sir Dawson Bates in the Northern Parliament, that legislation will be initiated in both Parliaments on an early date to cope with the situation which would arise when the present Act expires in June next.

MONEY FOR RECONSTRUCTION.

The Provisional Government has issued a schedule (No. 3) giving details of the amount of compensation to be paid after the 28th October in eighty-nine cases where decrees had been obtained in the Courts in respect of criminal injuries to property.

The highest sum awarded in this schedule is £6,325 for property destroyed at Miltown, Clonakilty. There is an award of £2,400 at Dundalk, and six others of between £1,000 and £1,100 each in Counties Wicklow, Waterford, Limerick, Cork, Clare. All the other awards are for sums under £1,000, the lowest being "for £1, with £3 12s. 10d. costs," in County Clare.

SUGGESTED GRANTS TO BUILDERS.

Alderman A. Byrne, in Dail Eireann, asked the Minister for Local Government if he would consider the question of introducing legislation to exempt from taxation and rates for ten years all new houses that might be built by private builders within the next two years; or if he would make a grant to builders towards the erection of houses for citizens of Dublin, now in urgent need of proper housing accommodation.

The Minister said the answer to the first part of the question was in the negative, and the proposal would not be considered unless it became evident that the local authorities advocated a policy of remitting rates in such cases.

The need of Dublin for new houses was freely recognised. The Corporation had at present, in various stages, schemes involving the erection of 2,000 new houses, and the work was being pushed forward as expeditiously as possible. The number of houses erected in Dublin by other agencies with State aid had been relatively small compared with the activities of private builders in other towns. The question of continuing grants to private builders for a further limited time would be considered.

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Monaghan Asylum Committee has accepted the tenders of Messrs. O'Hara, Sligo, for the supply of heating boilers at £240 11/-, and that of Messrs. Musgrave, Belfast, for heating of two churches at £198.

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A report by Messrs. Coughlan and O'Mahony, engineers to Fermoy Urban Council, regarding a proposal to convert the married quarters at the military barracks into houses of the three-bedroom type, estimated the cost at £450 per house.

IRISH GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS PLACED.

The Commissioners of Public Works, Dublin, have placed the following contracts:—

Additions to Training Centre at Tipperary—Barry and Cavanagh, Tipperary.

Building Works and Supplies, Dublin—J. and P. Good, Ltd.

Cottages for Ex-Service Men: Dun Laoghaire Urban District—A. Panton Watkinson, Dublin. Trim Rural District—J. Tracey, Rathmolyon, Enfield, Co. Meath. Carrick-on-Suir Urban District—Connolly and Cullen, Kilkenny. Celbridge No. 1 Rural District—Kyle Bros., Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin. Midleton Rural District—J. J. Coffey, Midleton.

New National School at Killian, Co. Donegal—N. McGready, Frosses, Inver, Co. Donegal.

Restoration of National School at Clohaneboy, Co. Clare—T. Fitzpatrick, Kilmihill, Co. Clare.

Construction of Road near Thurles—P. Boyle, Casestown, Thurles.

Whinstone Chippings for Phœnix Park—Thompson and Co., Ltd., Dublin.

Building Works and Supplies, Cork—Cork Timber and Iron Co., Ltd., Cork.

Drainage Works for ex-Service Men's Cottages at Dundrum, Co. Dublin—D. Clarke, Ranelagh, Dublin.

Fencing of ex-Service Men's Plots in Mullingar Rural District—Kennan and Sons, Dublin.

Supply of Horticultural and Forestry Tools and Requisites—Drummond and Sons, Ltd., Dublin.

Renovation and Repairs to Victoria Barracks, Cork—D. O'Donoghue, Cork.

Supply of Ropes, Cordage, etc.—McCann, Verdon and Co., Ltd., Dublin.

Supply of 50 Safes—F. J. O'Hare, Dublin.

DUBLIN NOTES.

The Electricity and Public Lighting Committee of the Corporation will receive, up till to-morrow, applications for vacancies for temporary junior electrical engineers. Other things being equal, Dublin men will be given the preference.

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Not later than 15th November the Great Northern Railway (Ireland) will receive tenders for the supply of stores for six months, including bolts and nuts, brass, copper castings, cement, electric fittings, glass, oil, paint, plates, timber, etc.

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The Midland Great Western Railway of Ireland invite tenders, by 14th November, for the supply for three, six, and twelve months, of stores, including bricks, slates, cement, glass, iron and steel, oils, paints, timber, tools, etc. The directors are also prepared to receive, by 7th November, tenders for the purchase of old materials.

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Kingstown Urban Council held a special meeting to consider the Construction Committee's report regarding housing tenders in connection with the Council's 1923 scheme for the erection of 60 houses. A resolution was passed "that the further consideration of the report be postponed; that the architects and quantity surveyors be directed to prepare a list of modifications and alterations in the original scheme; that baths be included in each house; and that amended tenders be advertised for."

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The Dublin County Council has passed a resolution that the economic welfare of the county demands the re-instatement of the buildings destroyed during the hostilities between the British and Irish forces, and that a condition should be attached to each award in respect of business premises or houses damaged providing for the reinstatement of the buildings. In this feature in our issue of September 7 there was published a list of awards about to be paid by the Provisional Government, and it was there specifically stated that certain sums had attached to them a condition that they be applied to re-building. For example, £5,000 of the award of £45,000 to Ivers, Templar and Co., Ltd., Ballybrigan, for the destruction of their premises, had attached to it a condition that it be devoted to the reinstating of the structure at Balbriggan.

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Bangor Urban Council has adopted the report of the gas manager recommending the erection of a gas holder at a total cost, including excavation of site, of £24,000.

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An important addition to the industries of Belfast is about to be made by the erection of a match factory for Messrs. Magnire and Paterson, Ltd., who have secured a site in that city. Mr. Samuel Stevenson, Belfast, has been appointed architect, and the contractors for the new work are Messrs. McLaughlin and Harvey, Ltd., Castletown Works.

HIGH COST OF BUILDING IN CORK.

For the proposed new works at the South Infirmary, Cork—extern and children's ward, new X-ray department, and gate lodge—nine tenders were submitted to the Committee, the highest being £12,000 and the lowest £8,871.

Alderman O'Sullivan said the amounts quoted in those various tenders were out of all proportion to the approximate estimate they had previously received—viz., £8,000. Three years ago that was the figure they got as the approximate cost, and since then the prices of material had gone down considerably. He was not prepared to bow the knee to the builders of Cork. Previous experience had shown him that it was possible for outside builders to come to Cork and build even a comparatively small house for a couple of hundred pounds less than the builders on the spot were prepared to build it for.

Mr. J. F. McMullen said he thought there was a feeling abroad that with the possibility of some of the large buildings being started in Cork, work would not become any cheaper. A number of claims had recently been decided, and it was probable that works would be started soon, and that would have the effect of making builders cautious.

Alderman O'Sullivan proposed that the tenders be not accepted.

Mr. Wallace suggested that the matter be postponed for six months, or until such time as the Committee saw fit to re-open it.

Alderman O'Sullivan suggested the deletion of the words "six months," for it was possible that communications with other counties may be opened up in the meantime.

This suggestion was agreed to.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE'S VIEW.

President Cosgrave, in the Dail, said he understood that pressure had been put locally on firms in Cork, who expect to have claims for compensation paid, in order to secure that such firms should commence rebuilding at once. The number of firms, however, in whose case awards had been in fact made, and compensation actually paid, was hitherto small, though it was anticipated it would greatly increase in the near future. The arrangement made in Cork that firms wishing to rebuild could obtain advances up to three-fifths of the amount of the building decree held by them, had not been availed of to the extent expected, but he understood that the firms concerned were not anxious to commit themselves until the precise sum payable to them was ascertained.

The present cost of building in Cork was not such as to encourage the prompt placing of contracts, and it would appear to be a matter of importance for the city that all parties should consult together with a view to such a reduction in costs as would enable the money available for rebuilding to be applied to the best advantage.

£20,000 TO DATE.

£20,000 has been paid up to the present by the Provisional Government towards the rebuilding of Cork, and the Reconstruction Committee has dispersed that amount less £453. A further application has been made for £15,000 more to cover future works.

At the last meeting of the Reconstruction Committee, on the certificate of the Board of Works Architect, payments were authorised of £6,618 to Messrs. Robertson Ledlie, Fergusson and Co., Ltd., for rebuilding their cabinet factory in Oliver Plunkett street, and £1,153 to Messrs. William Cashman and Co. for reconstructing their premises in Cook street.

In the course of a discussion much dissatisfaction was expressed at the action of the decree holders in destroyed areas in delaying the reconstruction of their premises, notwithstanding the fact that the Provisional Government are prepared to advance any sums that may be required with the object of expediting the reconstruction of premises which had been destroyed, and relieving the present unemployment.

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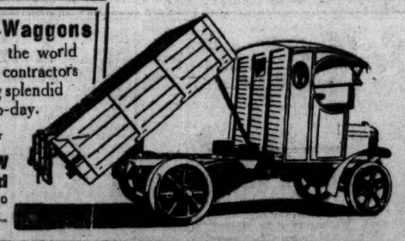

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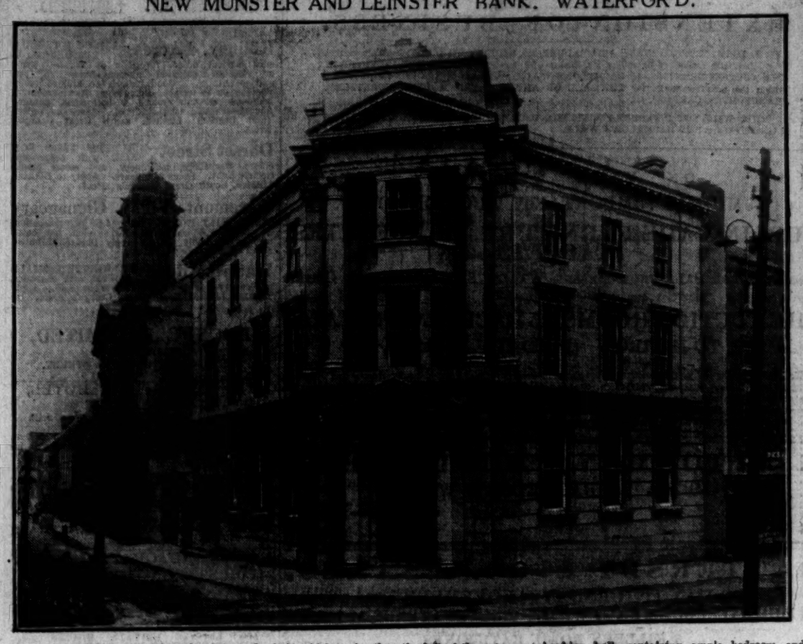

The new building for the Munster and Leinster Bank at Waterford is now nearly completed. The site, at the junction of O'Connell and Gladstone streets, suggested an entrance at the angle which has been made the dominant feature of the design. This entrance gives access to the banking hall through a semi-circular vestibule, and the hall itself is 33 feet wide by 38 feet long.

In order to obviate the rather commonplace treatment of rectangular fitting the desks have been grouped round a large oval, and they radiate from the public space, which is in the centre of the oval. This was found a very convenient arrangement, as the whole of the desks are visible from the manager's private desk, which is placed to the left of the entrance.

To facilitate the construction of the upper floors it was found necessary to carry down four piers through the cash office, and these piers have made a feature, as they are cased in Irish marble, and give a motive to the handsome and enriched ceiling which follows the curves of the fittings.

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Councillor Sir Crawford M'Cullagh, at a special meeting of the Belfast City Council, said that the Housing Committee had decided to recommend the acceptance of the tender of Mr. Samuel Agnew, Edinburgh street, to erect 100 houses on the Woodvale road site, according to stipulated design, at £365 each. These houses provided for a kitchen, three bedrooms, and a bathroom. Since then Mr. Agnew had withdrawn from the contract. The Committee met again, and decided to accept the next lowest tender—that of Messrs. M'Keown and Donaghy, Donegall street—whose tendered price was £400 per house, and estimated time for completion 18 months. The Committee were only proceeding with the erection of 100 houses at present. Tenders were originally invited for the erection of 100 two-roomed and 100 three-roomed houses at an estimated cost of £327 and £378 each respectively. The Committee ascertained when the tenders were examined that the three-roomed houses were quoted at £400 each, and the two-roomed at £365 each. The Committee would not dream of building two-roomed houses where they could get three-roomed houses for an additional outlay of £14, and decided that no further action be taken with regard to the two-roomed type. The contractors, Messrs. M'Keown and Donaghy, based their tender on a wages estimate of £2 per week, but since then the Minister of Labour or his Advisory Committee had increased the wages to £2 6s. per week for unskilled labour. The contractor was willing to proceed with the contract if he got £7 per house extra in lieu of the extra wages. That would bring the price of his tender up from £400 per house to £407. He said that it was found cheaper to build the houses by tender than by the surveyor's department. The surveyor's estimated price of these houses was £450 each, and the tenders ranged as high as £636 per house. Therefore, the price of £400 was regarded as a low cut.

The report of the Housing Committee was adopted unanimously.

PRICES IN OTHER AREAS.

The Town Surveyor reported to Tipperary Urban Council that after a conference at the Housing Department in Dublin in relation to the contract for the erection of fifteen houses at Murgasty the tender recently accepted by the Council from Mr. Barry, contractor, was reduced by £1,409. The reduction was effected by the elimination of ornamental features in the houses.

Bray Urban Council accepted the tender of Messrs. James Beckett, Ltd., Dublin, at £14,440 for the erection of twenty-three cottages.

Four tenders were received by Dalkey Urban District Council for the building of sixteen houses at Carysfort road. With the exception of that of Mr. Bowers, Ballybrack, all the tenders exceeded the amount of the grant allowed by the L.G.B. (£10,800). The following were the tenders:—Mr. Bowers, £10,647; Mr. Brady, Dalkey, £14,448; Mr. Beckett, Ringsend, £11,641; Mr. Dowling, Dalkey, £11,230. It was decided to forward the four names to the L.G.B., recommending that the tender of Mr. Dowling be accepted.

At Midleton Urban Council it was reported that the Housing Department, Irish Provisional Government, approved of Mr. J. J. Coffey's tender for the erection of four houses on the Mill road for £2,569. It was also reported that £300 had been paid to the Council from the Government £1,000,000 for housing in respect of the Council scheme for building five houses.

Tenders for the erection of eight artisans' dwellings at Ballinasloe were received by the Urban Council as follows:—Mr. Owen Larkin, £5,304 16s.; Mr. Lewis Ward, £4,937 10s. Mr. T. Brien, Kilreekle, offered to build four houses for £2,289, but his tender was not considered. The tender of Mr. Ward was accepted, the cost of each house working out at £614 3s. 9d. It was decided that home-made material should be used in constructing the houses.

ITEMS.

Captain J. A. Caskey, Town Surveyor of Larne, has been appointed Town Surveyor of Lisburn.

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The City Engineer of Belfast has reported on the advisability of installing additional plant at the Harbour Power Station.

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The Gorey municipal housing scheme is now in progress, and eight dwellings are in course of erection on St. John's road.

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Newry Harbour Board has placed the contract for erecting new gates at the Victoria locks with Messrs. Armstrong, Whitworth, and Co., at £5,968.

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Limerick Corporation has placed the contract for the erection of eighteen workmen's dwellings with Mr. P. Dalton. Fifteen cottages are to be built of brick and three of concrete as an experiment.

IRISH ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS.

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Mr. E. C. Handcock, the new chairman of the Irish Centre of the Institution of Electrical Engineers, in his presidential address at the meeting of the centre in Trinity College, reviewed the prospects of the electrical industry in this country.

Touching on the subject of water-power, he said the River Bann would have the honour of being the first Irish river to be harnessed on a substantial scale to electricity. A strong syndicate has this electrification in hand, and they hope to get a bill through the Northern Parliament in the immediate future, and no time will be lost in converting this hydraulic energy to the service of the factories, villages, and towns along the banks of the Bann.

HARNESSING THE LIFFEY.

The harnessing of the Liffey for electrical power had been actively investigated for some time past, and they were now waiting the final recommendations. Assuming that these were favourable, he hoped that the decisions, covering methods of finance and control, would be published without delay. These decisions would be very important, as they would form a precedent to other schemes. He hoped that national money resources to some extent would be supplied, giving the principal consumers (in this case, the Dublin Corporation would be the largest) an important voice in the control. It was reasonable to assume that in twelve or fifteen years this scheme would prove a valuable source of revenue to the nation. He could imagine the control board of this scheme forming a centre where the different electrical supply authorities in Dublin might meet and agree to mutually advantageous arrangements for the distribution of electrical power.

THE INSTITUTION.

The Institution of Electrical Engineers had a membership of well over 10,000, and its record is practically that of electricity. The standard rules accepted throughout the country for electrical work are those of the Institution. The Irish Centre is, for all practical purposes, the electrical engineers of experience and authority in Ireland. It is composed of electrical engineers of all branches of electrical work, except one (at least, so far as the Irish Free State is concerned), and that one is the electrical industrial or manufacturing side. The number of members is 149 for the whole of Ireland, the community relying on them for the supply of electricity, covering light, industrial power, tramways, telephones, telegrams, railway signalling, etc. He emphasised the necessity of having a home for the centre with a house for their library. It was desirable that all electrical engineering students in the technical colleges should join the institution when starting the last year of their college course. The younger men ought to understand that in a few years they will not be accepted as qualified electrical engineers unless they belong to this institution. Under the new conditions of government there were two paths open to the Irish Centre. One of apathy, and the second, to him the only possible path, to accept responsibility and make it clear that members cannot be expected to carry out technical rules and regulations governing their profession unless their Irish Centre has a voice in their framing. There would be no more self-constituted electric supply authorities without authority.

ELECTRICAL MANUFACTURE.

Referring to the possibility of electrical manufacture in the Free State, Mr. Handcock said it was perfectly true that, with the possible exception of one small company, he knew of nobody attempting electrical manufacture. That was a most unhealthy state of affairs, not only for the profession, but also for the country. Electrical engineers, he said, should use their influence to create an electrical industry in Ireland, where there were three and a quarter millions of people in the Free State. In Denmark, Norway, and Switzerland, with a population not exceeding Ireland, electrical apparatus was extensively used.

The change of Government in Ireland was going to give a strong inducement that was previously absent. Government departments would be in a position to place contracts at home for quantities which would ensure a manufacturer having a reasonable and continuous output to start with. This would enable him to produce at reasonable prices while developing his business along the usual trade channels. Without such contracts it was difficult to face competition with manufacturers already established and holding such contracts from their own Government.

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It should not be overlooked that electrical manufacturing is in a large degree mechanical work, and work that a number of our well-equipped mechanical workshops in Dublin could undertake if they could only look into it, and add an electrical engineer to their staff to see that the design and finished product was in accordance with electrical requirements. He suggested that there should be a laboratory capable of research work at each of our electrical engineering technical colleges. Thousands of pounds of national money was annually expended on technical colleges, covering the first step in the education of electrical engineers, and for the second, and rationally more important step, of consolidating their college training in a manufacturing works, neither national nor private capital had expended a penny. He did not wish to suggest the reduction of grants to technical purposes; the remedy did not lie that way, but with creating and developing work at home so that those young men could make a livelihood without going abroad, and he hoped that in the near future that would be possible.

The officials of the Irish Centre of the Institution of Electrical Engineers for the current year are:—Chairman—Mr. E. C. Handcock. Vice-Chairman—Mr. C. P. Coote-Cummins. Secretary—Mr. Wm. Tatlow. Treasurer—Mr. F. W. Parkes. Committee—Messrs. R. G. Allen, A. G. Brutz, R. N. Eaton, G. Marshall Harris, R. Tanham, J. A. Kenny, A. J. Orr, S. T. Robinson, F. G. Sherwood, K. N. Tweedy.

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By Belfast Corporation, for the erection of houses on the Donegall road site.

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By Chairman of Cork District Mental Hospital, for repairs to the Mile House.

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By Maryborough Town Commissioners, for the erection of five houses in one block.

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By Rev. R. Ferguson, Lurganboy, Manorhamilton, for repairs to National school.

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By Mullingar Rural District Council, for the extension of the main sewerage system across the canal.

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By Athy Urban District Council, not later than 6th November, for the erection of six working-class dwellings.

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By Registrar, Longford County Home, not later than November 11th, for installing water supply in the home.

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By the Town Clerk of Cork, for the demolition of the ruins of the municipal buildings, City Hall, and Carnegie Free Library.

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By Athlone Urban District Council, for the erection of eleven houses, and the construction of roads, sewers, and water main.

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